

APPENDIX II



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TERMS OF REFERENCE

The Backward Classes Commission shall—

- (a) determine the criteria to be adopted in considering whether any sections of the people in the territory of India (in addition to the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes specified by notifications issued under Articles 341 and 342 of the Constitution) should be treated as socially and educationally backward classes; and, in accordance with such criteria, prepare a list of such classes setting out also their approximate numbers and their territorial distribution;
- (b) investigate the conditions of all such socially and educationally backward classes and the difficulties under which they labour; and make recommendations—
 - (i) as to the steps that should be taken by the Union or any State to remove such difficulties or to improve their condition, and
 - (ii) as to the grants that should be made for the purpose by the Union or any State and the conditions subject to which such grants should be made;
- (c) investigate such other matters as the President may hereafter refer to them; and
- (d) present to the President a report setting out the facts as found by them and making such recommendations as they think proper.

The Commission may—

- (a) obtain such information as they may consider necessary or relevant for their purpose in such form and such manner as they may think appropriate, from the Central Government, the State Governments and such other authorities, organisations or individuals as may, in the opinion of the Commission, be of assistance to them;
- (b) hold their sittings or the sittings of such sub-committees as they may appoint from amongst their own members at such times and such places as may be determined by, or under the authority of the Chairman; and
- (c) visit or depute a sub-committee of theirs to visit such parts of the territory of India as they consider necessary or convenient.

During the Commission's visits to any State and during any sittings held by the Commission or any of their Sub-Committees in any State, the Commission may co-opt two persons, who belong to that State and who are members of backward classes, to be additional Members of the Commission or the Sub-Committee, as the case may be, during such visits or such sittings, provided that at least one of such co-opted Members shall be a woman.

The Commission shall endeavour to present their report to the President not later than the 31st January 1954.

PREFACE

The whole questionnaire is based on the nation's solemn determination to eradicate once for all, and that also within one generation, the age-old evil of social discrimination and a sense of high and low, which is a direct negation of democracy.

The nation is determined to do away with all social segregation and compartmentalism in society. Our society was for generations organised on a basis of religious hierarchy. Each profession and even each philosophical difference was standardised into so many castes, guilds and tribes. Not even the philosophy of Vedanta was able to eradicate these social evils. Many of them were rendered permanent by their being supported by religious sanctions.

We have thus to overcome remnants of racialism, communalism and caste segregation. This policy was unanimously accepted by the whole nation when it drafted and gave to itself the Constitution. The acceptance of the adult franchise was an act of faith and a silent revolution which has made it unnecessary to resort to a number of minor revolutions. Adult franchise has given all power to the masses.

Much progress has been made during the past 30 years as part of our struggle for independence. Mahatma Gandhi insisted that Swaraj would be an impossibility if the social evils were not eradicated betimes.

Another task which the nation has set before itself is the establishment of a secular State. This is essential in a country which has given shelter to all the religions of the world. The painful fact is that even religions that came to India with the avowed object of fighting our social evils have themselves succumbed to the atmosphere and are now humbly seeking assistance to eradicate, from amongst themselves, the very evils they came to destroy. Indian people, therefore, of all persuasions, castes and provinces, have to put up a united struggle against the evils that have kept Indian humanity down. The Questionnaire has tried to find out the effects of these evils in all their ramifications and has concentrated on the weakest spots. It must not, however, be concluded that because the Questionnaire is so very drastic, no progress has been made in the matter of social reform. A questionnaire drafted by the Backward Classes Commission cannot indulge in any self-complacency. It indicates the determination of the nation to come up within one generation to the high ideals it has placed before itself.

At the same time, we have to keep in mind our terms of reference. The question of Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes has been before the nation and the national Government for a long time. Remedies for the amelioration of their condition have been applied already. The Scheduled Areas also have been marked out. We have only to suggest if any modifications in the list of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes are necessary in order to make them exhaustive, and up-to-date. To this extent we shall have to consider

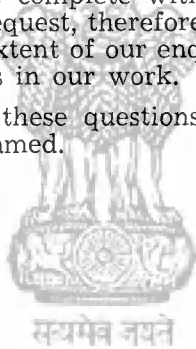
the conditions to these two categories. But our main concern is to prepare a list of the third category, *viz.*, backward classes other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes and suggest ways and means for the amelioration of their condition.

But we are also asked to suggest criteria for determining the backwardness of any class or community and this requires that we should study the condition of all the three categories of the backward people.

We have also to remember that according to the Constitution "the President may at any time and shall, at the expiration of ten years after commencement of this Constitution, by order appoint a Commission to report on the administration of Scheduled Areas and the welfare of Scheduled Tribes in the States specified in part A and part B of the First Schedule". We cannot take upon ourselves the task of that Commission. The information we are seeking is only in connection with our duty of determining the criteria.

In any case, the three categories form one unit and consideration of any one cannot be complete without some consideration of the other two. We would request, therefore, that answers to questions may be given only to the extent of our enquiry. Too much extraneous material would not help us in our work.

We invite answers to these questions in the same constructive spirit in which they are framed.



NOTE

1. It is requested that the replies to this Questionnaire be precise and as brief as possible.
2. So far as possible, replies may kindly be sent in English or Hindi. Those unable to do so may send their replies in any language convenient to them.
3. Every question bears a serial number. While replying, it is enough to quote only this serial number.
4. The replies should be written legibly or should preferably be typed in double-spacing on one side of the paper.
5. If anyone wants to write to the Commission on any aspect of the problem that is not covered in this Questionnaire, a separate note or memorandum may be sent.
6. If it is intended that any documents sent to the Commission should be returned, such documents should be sent in duplicates so that the originals could be returned when done with. If any documents are to be treated as confidential, mention of this fact should be made on those papers.
7. It is expected that replies to the Questionnaire should reach the office of the Commission (Backward Classes Commission, 2, Mansingh Road, New Delhi 2) before the 15th July 1953.
8. Those desirous of giving oral evidence before the Commission may kindly intimate their desire to do so.
9. A copy of this Questionnaire will be sent to any one asking for it. (Copies are available in English, Hindi and Urdu; efforts are being made through State Governments to get the Questionnaire translated in other languages).

N.B.—Please note that in this Questionnaire, wherever the expression “backward classes” appears, the main enquiry is about backward classes other than the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes; but these two special categories are also included in a limited sense, as is explained in the Questionnaire at proper places.

The Questionnaire is addressed to (a) Governments, (b) Institutions serving backward classes, (c) Organisations of the backward classes themselves, and (d) all those individuals who are interested in the betterment of the backward people.

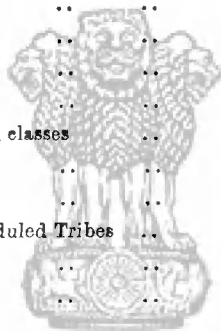
It is not necessary that attempt should be made by every one to answer all the questions. Governments, both Union and State, are however requested to supply complete information.

In the case of particular communities, their leaders or secretaries of their organizations should send detailed informations about their particular community, together with statistics as accurate as possible. A short history, traditional occupation, present-day condition and the reasons of its backwardness should be given briefly but without omitting essentials.

If the same community is known by different names in different localities, that information should also be given.

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QUESTIONNAIRE

I. CRITERIA

It is necessary to fix some criteria for determining whether a particular class, caste, tribe, group or community can be regarded as backward for the purpose of removing their difficulties and for providing governmental help or preference.

In the matter of Scheduled Castes, the criterion is clear. Untouchability is the criterion and it being peculiar to the Hindus,* those Hindu castes that were regarded as untouchable by society are included in that particular Schedule. Non-Hindus cannot be included in it.

The Scheduled Tribes can also be generally ascertained by the fact that they live apart in hills, and even where they live on the plains, they lead a separate excluded existence and are not fully assimilated in the main body of the people. Scheduled Tribes may belong to any religion. They are listed as Scheduled Tribes because of the kind of life led by them.

In the matter of other backward classes the criteria have to be very carefully determined. These "other backward classes" are said to belong alike to Hindu, Muslim, Christian and other denominations. They are to be found both in the rural and urban areas. They follow a variety of professions. Their backwardness, therefore, is due to a variety of causes.

1. Would you recognize the following as the criteria for backwardness? Is the list exhaustive or would you suggest any additions or modifications:—

- (a) Their place of habitation being too poor or barren, and being far removed from centres of civilisation; and inaccessible owing to there being no good all-weather roads, or there being no good markets or educational institutions near-by.
- (b) Ownership of land, houses and other property being denied to them or being quite beyond their means to acquire.
- (c) Their profession, trade or occupation being such that they get very poor return for the amount of energy spent, or on account of the social structure being prejudicial to their getting adequate return for their labour.
- (d) Their finding it difficult to establish contacts with advanced communities owing to prejudices either in their own minds or in the minds of those who are more favourably situated.
- (e) Their being subjected to some social stigma or inferiority, by which they find it difficult to get access to places of cultural or artistic training or of religious and secular education.
- (f) By the mere fact of their being segregated from more fortunate sections of society on account of taboos against inter-marriage, inter-dining and similar opportunities of association.
- (g) Owing to age-old social customs preventing members of such communities from enjoying certain amenities or status in society.

*For purposes of this Questionnaire, the word 'Hindus' includes Sikhs, Jains, etc.

- (h) The percentage of literacy and general education among them being too poor even as compared to the general low level of literacy in the country.
- (i) There being very few persons in their community who have received education adequate enough for leadership or, even if available, their not being recognized or encouraged.
- (j) The bulk of the community being unable or too slow to pick up training for business or industries or public services.
- (k) Backwardness could also be determined by a very poor conception of sanitation, by a primitive way of worship, or an indifferent regard for law and order, or unwillingness to resort to a settled life, or by very poor and extremely primitive methods followed in agriculture, or by inability to understand the function of money and monetary transactions or suicidal addiction to certain vices and social customs.

2. What additional criteria, if any, would you adopt for ascertaining what classes or communities are backward among the Christians, Muslims and other non-Hindu denominations in your State?

NOTE—Care must be taken to distinguish between all these characteristics being found in a community in general as against a few unfortunate individuals or families being found to conform to these criteria. It is not intended to dub or recognize mere individuals, whatever their number, as backward. It is only when a known and distinguishable *class or section* is found to conform to these criteria that they could be recognised as backward.

II. REVISION OF LISTS

3. Do you think that the Lists of (a) Scheduled Castes and (b) Scheduled Tribes issued under the President's Orders need any revision?

4. If so what castes or communities do you suggest for inclusion in or exclusion from the above-mentioned two lists? Please state reasons.

5. Has any representation been received by your Government from individuals, groups, organisations or associations for ~~modification~~ of these lists?

6. Have your State Government recommended the inclusion in or exclusion from the existing lists of any tribe, caste or community?

7. Do you consider the advisability of including any "Vimochit Jati" (Ex-Criminal Tribes) in any of the two Lists issued under the President's Orders? If so, please name them and state reasons.

8. Besides the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes who have been already listed under the President's Orders, has your State prepared a provisional list of other backward classes? If so, please furnish a copy of that list.

9. Are such provisional lists of the other backward classes being modified from time to time? If so, please furnish details of such modifications with reasons.

10. What are the communities amongst Muslims, Christians and other non-Hindu denominations that are included in the provisional list of backward classes by your State?

11. The stigma of untouchability being essentially psychological could be removed at any time. The segregation and seclusion of Scheduled Tribes could be overcome by mutual understanding and by mutual

effort. When we succeed in this would you not like to put all these categories into one general category of "Backward Classes" and then set before the nation a general target for overcoming general backwardness both as regard education and financial status?

III. POPULATION

12. What is the total population of your State according to the censuses of 1931, 1941 and 1951, as detailed below:—

Census of	Urban		Rural	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
1931				
1941				
1951				

13. What is the number and percentage of population of all the three categories of Backward Classes in your State, namely, (a) Scheduled Castes, (b) Scheduled Tribes and (c) other backward classes?

Please furnish details as in question 12 above.

14. What is the percentage of the population of backward classes to the total population in your State?

15. What communities are regarded as backward in your State? Please give the number of persons comprising each community.

16. Are all these backward communities in your State scattered more or less evenly in different areas or are any of them concentrated in certain pockets? If so, please name these pockets and the number of persons of various communities residing in them.

17. How many among the backward classes are—

- (i) artisans,
- (ii) agricultural labourers,
- (iii) industrial workers,
- (iv) other labourers, and
- (v) paupers?

18. (a) Do you think that the abolition of the mention of caste or sub-caste in the census of 1951 has been useful or otherwise for determining the condition of the backward classes?

(b) What procedure would you recommend for adoption in the future censuses?

19. (a) Is there any community in your State, which is dwindling in numbers?

(b) If so, please illustrate by figures of successive censuses, as to how each such community has been dwindling.

20. What are the causes of this decrease in numbers?

- (i) Is it merely because the classification has changed?
- (ii) Is it due to any physical causes?
- (iii) Is it due to migration?
- (iv) Is it due to conversion?
- (v) Is it due to defect in enumeration? or
- (vi) Is it due to any other causes?

IV. OCCUPATIONS, TRADES AND PROFESSIONS

It is observed that some communities that were thriving as artisans in the past have found their trades gone and they had to join the ranks of unskilled labour and thus became a backward community. We should like, therefore, to know the original trades which these communities had been following, whether they were skilled or unskilled, whether social status changed for better or for worse with the change of trade. We should like answers to be given to the following questions in the light of the situation mentioned above.

21. What were the original occupations, trades and professions largely followed by each community among the backward classes in your State and what are their present occupations, trades and professions? Kindly give your replies in the following tabular form:—

- (i) Name of community.
- (ii) Number of persons.
- (iii) Original occupation.
- (iv) Reasons for giving it up.
- (v) New occupations generally adopted.
- (vi) Change for better or worse in social and economic status as a result of such diversion of occupation.
- (vii) Number of persons diverted from the original occupation.
- (viii) (a) The handicrafts that have been abandoned and, therefore, are already dead or dying; and
(b) reason why they could not survive or be revived.

Please if possible give information decade by decade.

22. With a change in social ideas and standards some professions which were originally regarded as low have become respectable and therefore, persons following those professions carry with them no social stigma or inferiority now. Can you give the names of such communities which could now be safely removed from the list of backward classes?

23. What are the communities and the number of persons of the backward classes engaged in the following occupations, trades and professions in your State?

	Males	Females
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- (i) Land-owning.
- (ii) Tenant-farming.
- (iii) Agricultural labour.
- (iv) Vegetable cultivation.
- (v) Gardening and horticulture.
- (vi) Sheep rearing.
- (vii) Cattle rearing.
- (viii) Cotton weaving.
- (ix) Carding.
- (x) Wool weaving.
- (xi) Silk weaving.
- (xii) Mat weaving.
- (xiii) Basket weaving.
- (xiv) Oil crushing.
- (xv) Carpentry.

- (xvi) Smithy.
- (xvii) Tanning.
- (xviii) Leather works.
- (xix) Rope making.
- (xx) Pottery.
- (xxi) Utensil making.
- (xxii) Piggery.
- (xxiii) Fishery.
- (xxiv) Cloth washing.
- (xxv) Barber's profession.
- (xxvi) Scavenging.
- (xxvii) Nursing.
- (xxviii) Mid-wifery.
- (xxix) Butchery.
- (xxx) Other handicrafts and professions.

24. What is the percentage of backward class population by communities which depend upon the following:—

- (a) Agriculture;
- (b) Cottage industries;
- (c) Commerce and trade;
- (d) Arts and Crafts; and
- (e) Other professions.

25. In your State, are there any wandering communities like the gipsies and fortune-tellers and those who exercise ghosts, or indulge in petty thieving etc.? What are the names and numbers of such communities?

26. Have any measures been taken by Government and other agencies to resuscitate any of the occupations, trades and professions of the backward classes that are dying out?

27. What other handicrafts and small-scale industries can be profitably introduced in the villages and towns of your State for the benefit of the backward people?

28. Will co-operative societies be more useful in this regard for the elimination of the middlemen to whom the bulk of the profits usually goes?

29. In the context of ameliorating the economic condition of all the backward classes should the State pay more attention to the development of—

- (i) cottage and small-scale industries; or
- (ii) large-scale industries?

30. Consistently with the provisions contained in Article 19(vi) of the Constitution, what remedies would you suggest for the protection of the handicrafts followed by the backward classes?

V. POLITICAL

31. What are the organisations that are working for bringing about political consciousness among the backward classes of your State? What is the nature and the result of their activities?

32. Some special privileges and concessions have been provided in the law for the benefit of particular sections of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes. How far have these been given effect to in actual practice in your State?

33. Has there been any manipulation in recent years in order to curtail or take away political concessions that have been given to the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes?

34. What is the number of seats that members of the backward classes (Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and other backward classes) were able to secure in the last election in—

(i) the two Houses of Parliament;

(ii) the State Legislatures;

(iii) the Local Bodies; and

(iv) the Gram Panchayats?

35. What are the "outside agencies" if any, that are trying to politically influence the inhabitants of the Scheduled and Tribal areas in your State?

VI. ECONOMIC

36. Please give an outline of the general economic condition of each of the various communities of the backward classes in your State.

37. What are the steps taken by Government to bring about an improvement of the economic condition of the backward classes in your State or area?

38. In this connection, please give a description of the schemes initiated by your State Government in recent years.

39. How far does the joint family system obtain among the various communities of the backward classes in your State?

40. Has there been a tendency for joint families to split into separate units during recent years? If so, with what economic results?

41. What long-term and short-term schemes do you suggest for improving the economic condition of the backward classes in your State?

42. Are there any enactments in your State to afford relief to the backward classes from indebtedness? Is there any agency to help them to take advantage of legislations like the Debt Redemption Act. To what extent do they benefit from such facilities?

VII. SOCIAL

43. What are the social condition and status of each of the backward communities in your area or State?

44. What are the status and position of women in each of these communities?

45. What measures do you suggest to eliminate the hierarchy of castes that obtains even among backward classes?

46. (a) In what ways, do you think the caste system is responsible for keeping some people permanently backward?

(b) Do you think that it would suffice to relax the rigidity of the caste system or should the caste system be done away with as an unmitigated evil?

47. (a) Is it a fact that the caste system although not recognised formally persists openly or covertly amongst Christians, Muslims and other denominations also?

(b) Are any efforts being made by the leaders of those communities to eradicate the evil of caste system prevailing in their communities?

48. What are your suggestions for creating better understanding between one community and another?

VIII. EDUCATIONAL

49. What is the percentage of general literacy in your State?

50. What is the number of literate persons in your State among the—

- (i) Scheduled Castes;
- (ii) Scheduled Tribes;
- (iii) Ex-Criminal Tribes; and
- (iv) Other Backward Classes?

Please furnish information in detail as below:—

According to the census of	RURAL		URBAN	
	Male	Female	Male	Female
1931				
1941				
1951				

51. What is the percentage of literacy of the four categories of the backward classes? Please furnish information in detail as in 50 above.

52. What is the percentage of literacy of each of the communities of non-backward classes in your State? Please furnish information in detail as in 50 above.

53. Among the backward classes of the above four categories in your State, what is the number of persons—

- (i) who have passed the primary standard,
- (ii) who have passed the middle standard,
- (iii) who have passed the matriculation or higher secondary standard,
- (iv) who are graduates,
- (v) who are post-graduates,
- (vi) who are holders of technical or industrial diplomas, and
- (vii) who are experts in their trade in a traditional way?

54. What special measures have been adopted in your State for the advancement of the education of the backward classes to bring them up to the level of the advanced communities? [Vide Art. 15 (4) of the Constitution.]

55. In your State, are there any primary, middle, high and/or higher secondary schools, established specially for the various categories of backward classes? If so please furnish the following information:

- (i) their location and number of students in each school;
- (ii) the number of these schools run by (a) Government and (b) non-official organisations; and
- (iii) the number of non-official organisations aided by Government.

56. (a) Has primary education been made free and compulsory in your State? If so, in what parts and with what response?

(b) What steps have been taken to popularise the same among the backward classes in your State? And,

(c) What is the number of students of the backward classes benefiting under such schemes?

57. Do you think it necessary to offer ■ free mid-day meal to school-going children?

58. (a) In view of the fact that the bulk of the village students belong to the agricultural or artisan classes do you think that the present system of education prevailing in the country is suitable for the boys and girls of the backward classes?

(b) If your answer is in the negative, what changes in the present system of education would you suggest, particularly for the backward classes?

59. It is recognized that basic education develops all the faculties of the student and thus equips him/her for the struggle of life in ■ far better manner than is done by the present-day routine system of education.

(a) Has your State Government introduced basic education throughout the State? Or, in any part? What has been the experience so far?

(b) If the State is not able to secure sufficient number of "basic" teachers or if paucity of funds prevents it from providing the benefits of basic education to all the people in the State, will your State Government accept the policy of providing basic education at least to the backward classes so that they might get the benefit of the all-round basic education, and thus be enabled to overcome their backwardness with the least amount of delay?

(c) Will your State Government take adequate steps to train "basic" teachers specially suited to the conditions of the backward people and also provide that teachers and students who have got the benefit of basic education shall be given special preference in service, promotion and in all other ways?

60. (a) What special facilities are given in your State for the admission of students of the backward classes into high schools and colleges (including professional and technical colleges)? Are there any difficulties experienced by the students in obtaining such facilities?

(b) Do you subscribe to the view that there should be reservation of seats for the backward classes for such admissions?

If so, what should be the percentage of such reservation?

61. What, in your opinion, are the causes of general illiteracy or low percentage of literacy among the backward classes of your area besides poverty and apathy?

62. What steps have so far been taken in your State for improving the literacy of the backward classes?

63. How many scholarships and free or half-free concessions are reserved for the students of various categories of the backward classes in your State? Please mention—

(i) the amount of scholarship and

(ii) the number of scholarship holders, and free and half-free studentships of each community in schools and colleges separately.

64. What amounts have been spent annually by the Government in your State for the backward classes during the last five years in the shape of scholarship or free studentship?

65. What concessions in regard to the following have been granted to students of the backward classes in your State:—

- (i) tuition fee,
- (ii) examination fee,
- (iii) board and lodging,
- (iv) free supply of books and stationery, and
- (v) any other concessions?

Please furnish figures for schools and colleges separately.

66. (a) In your State are there separate hostels for the students of the backward classes or are they freely admitted into the general hostels?

(b) If separate hostels are provided for the students of backward classes, please give the number of such hostels with accommodation and location separately for schools and colleges and the number of students categorywise in each hostel.

(c) What are the communities among the backward classes that have separate hostel facilities?

67. (a) What special facilities are being given to students of the backward classes for studies and training in foreign countries? How many students of the backward classes (including Scheduled castes and Scheduled tribes) have so far been granted foreign scholarships during the last five years?

(b) Do you think it feasible to have any reservation in this regard?

68. Do you consider that it is high time for the State to provide free education up to the higher secondary standard or a full basic course to all students without any distinction?

69. After finishing the full course of basic education, should students of the backward classes be encouraged to specialise in technical training in preference to the so-called learned professions?

IX. SERVICES

70. What are the number and percentage of persons belonging to the different communities of backward classes in the various cadres of service in all the departments of Government in your State (both gazetted and non-gazetted). Please give separate figures for all the three categories, namely, the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes.

71. Are there any instances of young men of the Vimochit-Jati (ex-Criminal Tribes) being trained enough to secure a place in Government service in any capacity?

72. What are the number and percentage of persons belonging to the backward classes who have been newly recruited in the various categories in all the departments of Government service in your State (both gazetted and non-gazetted) since 15th August 1947? Please give separate figures for Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes.

73. (a) Do you consider that, so far as Government service is concerned, the system of recruitment to the services from the backward classes is carried on satisfactorily in your State? Have you any suggestions to make for improving it?

(b) What steps do you suggest for the representation of Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes in such cadres of services where there is no direct recruitment?

74. Do you consider that some special concessions should be given to backward-class employees who are already in Government service even in the matter of giving promotions?

75. Article 15(4) of the Constitution of India, has made it clear that the making of any special provision for the advancement of any socially and educationally backward classes of citizens or for the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes will not be *ultra vires* of the Fundamental Rights conferred by the Constitution.

In view of this, have the Central or State Governments provided any preferential facilities in the services so far as the backward classes are concerned?

76. What are the number and percentage of persons of the backward classes of the different categories employed in your State under semi-Government institutions, local bodies, and industrial concerns?

77. (a) Whenever there have been any reservations of vacancies in Government departments for backward classes during the last three years have all of them been filled by candidates belonging to the communities for which the reservations were made?

(b) If not, please state the reasons for not doing so.

78. Do you think that, in regard to age limit for appointment to Government service, it is necessary to give the same relaxation to Other Backward Classes, as is given to the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes?

79. Do you think that, in regard to examination fees for candidates appearing in examinations held for entry into Government service, it is necessary to give the same concession to Other Backward Classes as is given to the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes?

80. Have the semi-Governmental and local bodies in your area or State been advised by Government to adopt the State policy in the matter of giving concessions and privileges to the backward classes? If so, with what results?

81. Do you think that in regard to services, any reservations should be made for the Other Backward Classes as has already been done for the Scheduled Castes and the Scheduled Tribes?

82. To what categories of Government service would you like this reservation for the backward classes to be applied? What categories of Government service would you leave outside the scope of such reservation?

83. (a) What is the number of persons belonging to the different communities of the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes in your State in the subordinate judiciary services in various cadres? How many posts are there in each cadre, both gazetted and non-gazetted?

(b) Do you consider that so far as the subordinate judiciary services are concerned, the scheme as it is in vogue in your State needs a

thorough change so as to ensure a fair representation of the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes, without detriment to merit and efficiency?

84. (a) How many of the posts in the Indian Embassies, Legations and Commissions abroad (barring Ambassadors and High Commissioners), are held by persons belonging to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes?

(b) What machinery is being adopted to give wide publicity regarding recruitment in the foreign services of the Union Government?

(c) Could you suggest a scheme by which the backward class people could be suitably represented in the Indian Embassies abroad?

85. How many persons belonging to the Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes and Other Backward Classes are employed in the Central Secretariat? What is their percentage?

86. (a) Is there any order in operation in your State regarding the selection of candidates to Government service? If so, please give details of the same.

(b) Are the "Other Backward Classes" also included in the regulations issued by the Government for the guidance of the Public Service Commissions in the matter of recruitment?

X. LABOUR

In view of the fact that the backward classes form a substantial portion of labour in industries as well as in agriculture, this Commission would be interested to know the conditions pertaining to industrial and agricultural labour in general. Any information in this connection will, therefore, be welcome. Ordinarily no distinction is seen in industrial labour where it is properly organized between backward communities and others and therefore the situation causes no anxiety. Yet it would be profitable if some information is collected as to the condition of the backward people employed as labour because it may be that owing to their own lack of equipment or prejudices they may not be able to profit adequately by the conditions prevailing in industrial areas.

87. (a) Do persons belonging to the backward classes suffer from any special disabilities? If so, what are they?

(b) Is it a fact that certain castes of backward classes are not permitted to work in certain departments? How far is this true in your State?

88. Do women labourers belonging to the backward classes suffer from any special disabilities?

XI. AGRICULTURE

89. It is said that there has been a marked improvement in the financial condition of farmers and small agriculturists as a result of the conditions created by the last two wars. It is also said that there has been a considerable reduction in the indebtedness of the agricultural population. What is the condition of agriculturists in this respect in your State?

90. Is it a fact that the bulk of the backward people in rural areas come under the category of landless labour and therefore do not reap the benefits mentioned above?

91. Can you suggest ways and means by which the benefits from the abolition of zamindari and tenancy and similar legislation may actually reach the backward classes?

92. In what way can the Bhoomi-dan movement help agricultural labour among the backward classes?

XII. HOUSING, HEALTH AND SANITATION

93. (a) Which of the backward communities are forced to have their habitations segregated or built outside the precincts of the village or town?

(b) Does this fact deprive them of amenities like water, lighting, sanitation and police protection, which are normally available to the other communities?

(c) Are any of the backward classes in your area permitted to live mixed up with the rest of the population?

94. (a) Are the houses in which the backward classes live really fit for human habitation from the point of view of health, sanitation and privacy?

(b) Is it a fact that in most places the land on which the huts or hovels of the backward class people stand do not belong to them and they are subjected to various indignities by the landlord and the local bodies?

95. What steps are being taken to give occupancy rights of house-sites, or provide approach roads, water facilities, drainage etc., for the backward class localities?

96. The insanitary condition of Indian villages is proverbial. The places where the backward classes live must be worse so. Can you tell us what is being done by Government or public bodies, or by the backward people themselves to improve the sanitary condition of places where they live?

97. What are the most common diseases prevailing in the villages or hamlets of the backward classes?

98. Are there any insanitary habits peculiar to the backward classes in regard to bathing, clothing, eating etc.?

99. Are there any special facilities or concessions given to the backward classes in order to enable them to rebuild their houses and re-model their localities?

100. (a) What steps are being taken by Government to remodel the villages and improve the houses of the backward classes?

(b) Please give details of help extended to each of the communities of the backward classes for these purposes, in the shape of free land or land at concessional rates, money, material or technical advice, etc.

101. What steps are being taken by Government to provide adequate supply of water for drinking and other purposes to the villages and hamlets of the backward classes, by way of digging of wells, erection of tube-wells, digging of tanks and canals and construction of bunds, drainage etc.?

102. (a) What steps have been taken so far by Government or by any non-official organization to settle the nomadic population of the backward classes?

(b) In what manner do the nomadic people respond to these efforts?

(c) What is the measure of success that has been achieved in this direction?

XIII. CULTURE, ARTS AND CRAFTS

The Commission is interested in studying the cultural and the artistic life of the classes known as Scheduled Tribes as also of Other Backward Classes. It is not possible to elicit information about these matters in a compact form through a questionnaire.

We would request, therefore, that States' officers and the leaders of the various communities help the Commission by exhibitions and demonstrations of these when the Commission visits their territories, information of this being given to the Commission beforehand so that adequate time may be set apart. It is requested that only outstanding features may be taken notice of. The Commission would not have much time to make a detailed study; neither is it within the purview of the Commission's work to make such a detailed study. The Commission would also like to have a Note on the cultural back-ground of particular communities and peculiar traits exhibited in festivals, folk-songs, music, dance and other forms of recreation or religious observances. It would be useful for our purpose if friends could improvise museums of local art as expressed in various forms of culture and in various types of implements and hunting or fighting paraphernalia.

Persons who have specialised in the study of cultural and artistic side of the backward people are particularly requested to help the Commission by writing special small memoranda.

103. (a) Are there any dances and music peculiar to the various communities of the backward classes?

(b) Are they still being maintained or are they dying out?

(c) Is this dying out due to social neglect or due to the reformers' zeal or due to other causes?

104. Do the backward class people distinguish between dances which are expressive of the artistic sense of the community and dances which are obscene and which lead to dissipation?

105. Have any of the backward communities specialised in certain characteristic handicrafts?

106. Are local or communal specialities reflected in the peculiar styles of the products of art in your area or State?

107. (a) What are the cottage crafts still surviving amongst the backward classes?

(b) What are the chances of their survival in the future?

(c) Should the people engaged in such crafts be encouraged with financial help? If so, in what manner and to what extent?

XIV. MANNERS AND CUSTOMS

108. Please state which of the communities of the backward classes are nomadic, which are settled and which are on the border line.

109. Are there any forms of marriage amongst the backward communities which are repugnant to moral sense, for instance, marriage by force or by elopement etc.?

110. Are there any unwholesome practices that are peculiar to the communities or castes or social groups amongst the backward classes which form one of the reasons for keeping them removed from other people? If so, please give a brief description.

111. Is there any special peculiarity in the manner of clothing or living among the communities of the backward classes which distinguishes them from other people?

112. (a) Are there any primitive dialects spoken by any of the categories of backward classes? If so, please name them.

(b) Can any of these dialects be integrated with the prevalent principal regional languages of your State?

113. (a) In which communities and to what extent is polyandry or polygamy prevalent in your area or State?

(b) What is the effect of either of these practices on the economic and social life of the people?

114. Is it a fact that the backward classes are sometimes forced to spend beyond their means on certain occasions like marriage, death and other functions either by force of custom or by interested parties playing on the superstition of these people?

XV. PROHIBITION

115. (a) What communities of the backward classes are addicted to drink and to what extent?

(b) How far is their backwardness due to this habit?

116. What percentage of family income on an average is spent on liquor and narcotic drugs e.g., tobacco, charas, bhang, opium, etc.?

117. (a) Is there any scheme of prohibition in your area or State?

(b) How far has it succeeded in raising the moral, social and economic standards of the backward classes?

(c) How far has it been appreciated by them?

118. (a) Has any positive recreational activity been provided for the backward classes in your area or State in order to wean them from the drink habit?

(b) If not, what do you suggest should be done in this direction?

XVI. SOCIAL DISABILITIES

119. (a) What are the social, religious and civic disabilities to which any of the backward classes in your area or State are subjected?

(b) In what way are these disabilities enforced?

(c) Which of them can be stopped or removed by law?

120. Is there any social stigma other than that of untouchability attached to particular communities of the backward classes in your area or State?

121. Are there any social customs or prejudices or taboos prevailing among the backward classes themselves which contribute to their backwardness?

122. (a) What has the State Government done so far to eradicate these stigmas or prejudices?

(b) What remedies do you suggest for speedy eradication of these?

123. Are there any social restrictions against the members of the backward classes adopting or following any particular profession, trade or calling?

124. In your State is forced labour still exacted in actual practice from members of the backward classes by feudal lords, *lambardars* and others having power over them like Government servants or by any one else even though it is forbidden by law?

125. Are the customary rights of the members of the backward classes which are based on duty duly performed by them properly safeguarded?

126. Notwithstanding the provisions made in the law, is the use of public wells, schools and temples etc. actually denied to members of the Scheduled Castes in your area or State?

127. (a) Notwithstanding the categorical prohibition of untouchability in the Constitution, is it prevalent in any form in your area or State?

(b) Has any law been enacted by the State Government for its abolition?

128. (a) To what extent do Christians, Muslims and other non-Hindu denominations in your State observe untouchability within their own community?

(b) Do the old pre-conversion caste distinctions and disabilities continue to stick to the untouchables and other backward people even after their conversion?

129. Which of the backward classes in your State experience any difficulty in securing the services of brahmins, barbers and *dhobis*?

130. What, in your opinion, are the best remedies that would secure the speedy removal of these and other social disabilities from which the backward classes are still suffering?

131. It is represented by some leaders of the Christian community that 70 to 75 per cent of the Christians are actually backward.

(a) Do Christians continue to call a person backward merely because he was born in a particular caste or class?

(b) If not, how would you single out the backward classes (and not merely backward individuals or families) among the Christians?

XVII. EXPLOITATION

132. (a) What are the different forms of exploitation to which any of the backward classes in your area or State are being subjected?

(b) What steps have the Government taken to put an end to such practices?

(c) In what measure have they been successful? What are the difficulties in their way?

133. (a) So far as the backward classes are concerned, what specific measures have Government taken to regulate money-lending, transfer of land, allotment of land, relief of agricultural indebtedness, fishery rights, farming out of forest, coupes, tank products like *singharas*, *makhanas* etc. and similar other matters?

(b) What enactments have been made to prevent victimization?

134. How would you restrain the exploitation of individuals by the Caste Panchayats or by the head-men of communities who sometimes unjustly and arbitrarily impose penalties on the poor, ignorant and superstitious members of the community?

135. Do you think that a law punishing social leaders of a community for imposing social boycott of individuals of the community similar to the one enacted in the former Baroda State should be promulgated and enforced for the whole country?

(In Baroda and Gujerat, communities are socially organised and the recognised leaders of communities enjoy the right to punish individuals with fine or social boycott if they go against the wishes of the community. This leads to social tyranny. The Government of Baroda, therefore, took away from the communal organisations and leaders this power of imposing punishments on individuals belonging to the community).

XVIII. WELFARE

136. (a) What is the Governmental machinery for rendering welfare service in your area or State?

(b) What are the sections that are being benefited by this service?

137. (a) Is there any separate department in your State for looking after the welfare of the backward classes as a whole?

Or (b) Are there separate departments for looking after the welfare of each of the four categories of backward classes?

Or (c) Is this work allotted to officers along with their other normal administrative duties?

138. (a) Is particular attention being paid to the welfare of women and children of the backward classes?

(b) Have women representatives among social workers been particularly associated with this activity?

139. How long have these departments been working and what is the progress of their work?

140. (a) Has any Board been constituted to advise Government regarding the welfare of the backward classes?

(b) What is the composition of such a Board?

(c) How long has it been working?

(d) What are the major suggestions made by this Board from time to time?

(e) How many of these suggestions have been accepted and given effect to by Government?

(f) What were the main reasons for the non-acceptance of other schemes?

141. (a) Have any plans or schemes been recently drawn up specially for the uplift of the backward classes in your State? Please furnish details.

(b) What funds have been sanctioned for these schemes?

142. What steps are being taken to improve the agricultural and occupational activities of the backward classes?

143. (a) What benefits have the various communities of the backward classes derived from these welfare schemes?

(b) Do the benefits offered to the backward classes reach the helpless masses among them? Or, do only the few influential among them actually gain?

(c) Can you suggest means to ensure that all are equally benefited from these measures?

144. Will it be preferable to distribute small benefits to a large number of people or to give substantial benefits to a comparatively smaller number of people?

145. (a) Has any scheme for adult education been launched in your area or State for the backward classes?

(b) If so, how much increase in literacy has been achieved thereby?

(c) How many centres of adult education are being run in your State and how many people have benefited so far from them?

(d) What amounts have been spent on running these centres?

(e) Have any steps been taken to popularise adult education in the backward areas through films and magic lantern slides etc.?

If so, what are the results?

146. Has any legislation been enacted in your State under Article 46 of the Constitution of India so as to promote with special care the educational and economic interests of the backward classes and to protect them from social injustice and all forms of exploitation?

147. (a) Has your State set up till now any Committees or Commissions or Boards of Inquiry for investigating the conditions of backward classes?

(b) If so, when were they set up and what were their terms of reference?

(c) What recommendations were made by them and what action was taken by Government to give effect to them? Please furnish copies of relevant papers.

148. Has your Government undertaken any other activity beneficial to the backward classes which has not been suggested in any part of this questionnaire?

149. To what extent does your State Government consider the programme of welfare of the backward people as one of the important items of expenditure of the State Government? How much has till now been contributed from the State Revenues for this purpose over and above the contribution made by the Central Government?

XIX. AGENCIES SERVING BACKWARD CLASSES

150. What are the agencies working for the uplift of the backward classes in your area or State? Please classify them as follows:

(a) Official agencies, together with the amount spent by them so far.

(b) Non-official agencies, together with their financial conditions:—

(i) If aided by Government, the amount of annual aid;

(ii) If not aided by Government, what are the sources of their income;

(iii) If partly aided by the Government, what are the other sources of their income.

151. (a) Has the State Government created any department for looking after the welfare of the backward classes? If so, when was it set up?

(b) What are the activities and functions of this department?

152. What, in your view, is the best way of serving the backward classes? Should it be through official agency? If so, should it be through a separate department directly under the Central Government? Or, should this work be done by a separate department under the various State Governments? Or, will you prefer that this work is done by the various general departments of the Government along with their other normal work? Or, will it be better to utilise the non-official agencies of social workers for this purpose? Or, would you prefer that the work should be done by collaboration between official and non-official agencies? If so, what should be its composition and the respective duties of the official and non-official sections? Would you subscribe to the view that women social workers should be put at the head of such agencies or at least should be encouraged to be associated with such activities?

153. As a matter of national policy, how far is it advisable to leave this work of serving the backward classes to foreign agencies especially those that are working with proselytization as one of their motives?

154. (a) Is there any truth in the statements commonly heard that foreign or proselytizing agencies sometimes consciously or unconsciously foster anti-national or separatist tendencies?

(b) What is the situation in this regard in your State since the attainment of independence?

155. (a) Which religious Missions have been working in your State and since when?

(b) Please give a brief description of the various types of work that these agencies have been doing in your State.

XX. COMMUNITY PROJECTS

156. What areas have been selected in your State for Community Projects?

157. To what extent are the backward classes likely to be benefited from such projects in your State?

158. (a) How much money has been set apart for the development of the projects in your State?

(b) How much has been actually spent up to this time?

159. Is there any other particularly backward area which should be included in the project schemes for the special benefit of the backward classes of your State?

160. Is full use being made of the voluntary labour which the backward classes are in a position to give in abundance?

XXI. EX-CRIMINAL TRIBES (Vimochit-jati)

NOTE.—Ex-Criminal Tribes mean the Tribes that have been denotified as no longer belonging to the Criminal Tribes.

161. What are the ex-Criminal Tribes in your area or State? Please give the name and number of each class together with its habitat.

162. Please mention to which of the three categories each of these could now be attached *viz.* to Scheduled Castes, Scheduled Tribes or other Backward Classes, so that the erstwhile stigma of criminality may be entirely forgotten.

163. (a) What are the social origins of the various communities of the ex-Criminal Tribes in your area or State?

(b) What are the beliefs, omens and taboos peculiar to them?

164. Is it better to allow these people to live together in one segregated locality or should they be dispersed and distributed as widely as possible so that their old habits and beliefs may be forgotten and they may be gradually assimilated in the general population?

165. (a) What special efforts are being made by Government to settle families of these people after the repeal of the Criminal Tribes Act?

(b) Are these steps adequate?

(c) Please give the number of families of these people settled so far. Please state the amount of Government grant so far given for this purpose.

XXII. SCHEDULED AREAS AND SCHEDULED TRIBES

NOTE.—The questions drawn under this section are intended to secure information so that the Commission could recommend whether any particular communities have to be added to or subtracted from the lists published under the President's orders.

Much more information will have to be secured before the Commission could definitely recommend such changes. But this could be collected better when the Commission goes round to the various States and Areas and observes conditions as they obtain at the present time.

There is a general complaint that in certain parts great injustice is done to the Scheduled Tribes and inhabitants of Scheduled Areas because of the irregular interpretation of rules applying to the list of communities known as Scheduled Tribes. It is necessary, therefore, to make some enquiries about the actual conditions, before revision of rules etc. could be usefully suggested.

166. What, in your opinion, are the various approaches for the solution of the tribal problem in your State? Which, in your opinion, is the most feasible?

167. (a) Can you give the extent of Scheduled Areas of your State? Please supply a map.

(b) Is there any proposal to change these boundaries?

(c) Would you suggest any change?

168. (a) Is habitation in a Scheduled Area a necessary condition for fixing the status of a tribe as Scheduled Tribe?

(b) In case a person or a group belonging to the Scheduled Tribes leaves the Scheduled Area and settles in a non-Scheduled Area, does the person or the group cease to belong to a Scheduled Tribe?

(c) What measures do you suggest to remedy this anomaly?

169. What are the amounts of grants-in-aid that have been received by your State Government from the Centre for the betterment of the condition of the Scheduled Tribes from year to year upto now?

170. (a) How and on what schemes have these grants been spent and to what extent have the Scheduled Tribes people benefited from these schemes?

(b) What amount has your State been spending from its own funds annually, in the Scheduled Areas, over and above the normal expenditure on the general administration, and what proportion does this contribution of your State bear to the aid that it receives from the Centre?

171. What are the main occupations of the tribal people in your State?

172. What would be the approximate percentage of the tribal people who are working as landless labour in your State?

173. Are the tribal people in your State gradually overcoming their segregated existence?

XXIII. SCHEDULED CASTES

174. The main characteristic of Scheduled Castes is the social disability of untouchability. Is this untouchability recognized in any form even among the Non-Hindus?

175. If untouchability is peculiar to the Hindu community and if the other communities do not recognize it, should the concessions and facilities that are specially reserved for the Scheduled Castes be made available to them even after their ceasing to be Hindus? Of course, such a person can claim concessions etc. that are meant for the Backward Classes.

176. Untouchability being abolished by the Constitution and its practice in any form forbidden, what programme would you suggest for the gradual elimination of special concessions given to the Scheduled Castes as a result of the fulfilment of the objective, namely complete eradication of untouchability?

177. What are the specific remedial measures by which traces of untouchability that still persist could be removed speedily?

178. What are the tests to determine whether untouchability has been eradicated in fact?

179. In your State, has any of the Scheduled Castes progressed to such an extent that it has ceased to be untouchable as a caste and it is no longer necessary to keep its name in the list of Scheduled Castes?

XXIV. "ADVANCED" CLASSES

NOTE—In determining the criteria of backwardness, we shall have necessarily to compare the social and educational standards of communities with those of other communities who are not backward and, therefore, it is necessary to have some information about the "advanced" communities especially because the whole of India itself is so very backward that backwardness of certain communities can be assessed only in comparison with communities which are less backward. We have, therefore, asked for information about the standard of progress obtaining amongst the so-called "advanced" communities.

Another reason why we have asked for information about the "advanced" communities is that there are certain communities amongst the so-called "advanced" communities that are really backward both educationally and socially and they feel that they are victimized because of the traditional classification of castes. They must be given an opportunity to ventilate their grievances so that justice, where it is essential, may be accorded to all really backward communities.

180. What criteria would you suggest for definitely labelling a community as "advanced"?

181. According to your criteria, what communities in your State can be termed as "advanced"?

182. Are there any communities amongst the so-called "advanced" classes in your State which are actually so backward socially, educationally or otherwise that they deserve special consideration from the Government for the amelioration of their condition?

If so, please name such communities, giving particulars and reasons regarding each.

APPENDIX III

Statistical data regarding economic condition of Backward Classes

Information regarding caste of every family covered during the second stage of the Agricultural Labour Enquiry, viz., the General Family Survey was collected. Each family in the 812 sample villages were classified, in consultation with the State Government and in accordance with the Notifications on the subject issued by the Ministry of Home Affairs, into the following castes:—

- (a) Brahmans;
- (b) Kshatriyas;
- (c) Vaishyas;
- (d) Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes;
- (e) Tribal and aboriginal communities;
- (f) Backward classes;
- (g) Others.

The schedules were thereafter coded so as to make them fit for tabulation.

2. For sorting out the Intensive Family Schedules of agricultural labour families belonging to backward classes, the General Family Schedules of Agricultural Labour Families belonging to those castes were sorted out first. Each General Family Schedule contains the family number and after having sorted out 50 General Family Schedules of agricultural labour families belonging to backward classes, the corresponding Intensive Family Schedules having the same family number were sorted out from those of the agricultural labour families covered by the Intensive Family Survey.

In all about 1,400 agricultural labour families were intensively surveyed in the Madras State excluding the two Andhra Zones, during the Agricultural Labour Enquiry of which the backward classes may be estimated to about 230. Out of these about 50 families were selected arbitrarily, i.e., in the order in which they were spotted out from the huge bundle of schedules. Although they were not strictly at random they were taken proportionately from the different zones in the State so that they cover the whole State. A similar procedure was adopted in the selection of 50 backward class agricultural labour families out of an estimated total of 400 such families intensively surveyed in the Agricultural Labour Enquiry.

3. The Intensive Family Schedules contain, among others, information relating to annual income of the family according to various sources, the annual expenditure according to different consumption groups, indebtedness according to sources of loan and purposes of debt etc. In the enclosed statements all these details have been tabulated.

4. As regards literacy, the General Family Schedules of the agricultural labour families contained information regarding the language which any member of the family could read or write or both read and write. It will be seen from the enclosed statement that very few members of the agricultural labour families belonging to backward classes were literate.

5. The information tabulated shows that in Madras the average annual income per family was Rs. 305 for the 50 backward class agricultural labour families for which data were compiled as against the State average of Rs. 365 taking all classes of agricultural labour families together. Again, the percentage of family income accruing from agricultural wages was

77.6 as against the State figure of 61.9. Similarly, the average annual consumption expenditure per family was Rs. 370 for the State as a whole as against Rs. 334 for backward classes families. The average percentage expenditure on food for the State as a whole was 82.3, the corresponding figure in the case of backward class agricultural labour families being 82.4.

6. In the case of Bihar, the position was as follows. The average annual income of the 50 backward class agricultural labour families for which data were compiled was Rs. 394 as against the State average of Rs. 534 taking all classes of agricultural labour families. The percentage of income accruing from agricultural wages in the case of the former was 80 as against 64 in the case of the latter. The average annual expenditure of the 50 backward class families was Rs. 472 as against Rs. 574 for all agricultural labour families. Again, the percentage expenditure on food in the case of the former was 93 as against 90 for all agricultural labour families.

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APPENDIX IV

Statement showing literacy percentage in various states during the years 1931, 1941 and 1951

Name of the State	Literacy percentage		
	1951	1941	1931
1. Uttar Pradesh	10·8	8·4	4·7
2. Bihar	12·2	9·3	4·3
3. Orissa	15·8	8·5	5·2
4. West Bengal	24·5	19·9	11·6
5. Chandernagore	42·3	..	..
6. Assam	18·1	11·4	6·8
7. Manipur	11·4	..	3·3
8. Tripura	15·5	..	1·1
9. Sikkim	7·3	..	3·0
10. Madras	19·3	14·4	9·3
11. Mysore	20·3	..	9·1
12. Travancore-Cochin	46·4	..	24·7
13. Coorg	27·2	..	15·5
14. Bombay	24·6	18·9	8·6
15. Saurashtra	18·5	..	N.A.
16. Kutch	17·1	..	N.A.
17. Madhya Pradesh	13·5	9·9	5·1
18. Madhya Bharat	10·8	..	5·1
19. Hyderabad	9·2	..	4·1
20. Bhopal	8·2	..	3·1
21. Vindhya Pradesh	6·1	..	3·5
22. Rajasthan	8·4	..	3·6
23. Punjab	16·1	12·0	5·2
24. PEPSU	12·0	..	4·0
25. Ajmer	20·1	..	10·6
26. Delhi	38·4	..	14·1
27. Bilaspur and Himachal Pradesh	7·7	..	3·5
28. Andaman and Nicobar Islands	25·8	..	N.A.

APPENDIX V

Statement showing total number of students belonging to scheduled castes and other backward classes in Primary, Middle and High Schools and in Arts and Science Colleges during the year 1952-53

State	Total Number of Students in—			
	Primary Schools	Middle Schools	High Schools	Art & Science Colleges
1	2	3	4	5
1. Assam	2,21,224	25,534	19,586	..
2. Bihar	7,19,680	1,46,905	92,184	6,547
3. Bombay	6,61,586	6,752	22,921	1,269
4. Madhya Pradesh*	1,74,564	25,522	7,595	531
5. Madras	22,73,379	30,629	2,64,125	12,951
6. Orissa	1,17,974	6,392	3,556	130
7. Punjab	53,076	16,015	17,235	780
8. Uttar Pradesh	7,07,678	72,448	49,013	..
9. West Bengal	3,44,385	28,324	38,132	2,185
10. Hyderabad	71,843	5,476	6,379	177
11. Madhya Bharat	24,432	5,279	529	28
12. Mysore	70,556	9,519	6,039	355
13. PEPSU	6,476	3,052	8,452	139
14. Rajasthan* .. ..	..	..	..	140
15. Saurashtra	50,476	2,169	2,133	104
16. Travancore-Cochin	1,33,011	26,035	16,046	..
17. Ajmer	13,475	655	725	54
18. Andaman & Nicobar *Islands	1,048	..	897	..
19. Bhopal	1,458	962	229	30
20. Coorg	3,177	4,018	909	43
21. Delhi	8,054	972	1,599	93
22. Himachal Pradesh* (including Bilaspur).	2,577	1,274	829	4
23. Kutch	724	19	7	..
24. Manipur	37,307	4,838	8,758	355
25. Tripura	8,350	1,091	855	29
26. Vindhya Pradesh	12,499	4,101	366	29
INDIA	57,19,009	4,27,981	5,69,099	25,973

*Figures relate to 1951-52.

APPENDIX VI
MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS

Resolution

New Delhi, the 13th September 1950

No. 42/21/49-NGS—The policy of the Government of India in regard to communal representation in the Services immediately before the coming into force of the new Constitution was that in appointments made by open competition 12½ per cent of the vacancies filled by direct recruitment were reserved for candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes while in regard to posts and services for which recruitment was made otherwise than by competition the principal communities in the country were given appointments in proportion to their population. Certain reservations were also made for Anglo-Indians, in services with which they had special* past associations.

2. The Government of India have now reviewed their policy in this regard in the light of the provisions of the Constitution of India which lay down *inter alia* that with certain exceptions no discrimination shall be made in the matter of appointments to the services under the State on grounds of race, religion, caste, etc. The exceptions are that special provision shall be made for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in all services and for Anglo-Indians in those services in which they had special reservations on the 14th August 1947. Pending the determination of the figures of population at the Census of 1951 the Government of India have decided to make the following reservations in recruitment to posts and services under them:—

- (a) *Scheduled Castes*—The existing reservation of 12½ per cent of vacancies filled by direct recruitment in favour of the Scheduled Castes will continue in the case of recruitment to posts and services made, on an all-India basis, by open competition, i.e., through the Union Public Service Commission or by means of open competitive tests held by any other authority. Where recruitment is made otherwise than by open competition the reservation for Scheduled Castes will be 16-2/3 per cent as at present.
- (b) *Scheduled Tribes*—Both in recruitment by open competition and in recruitment made otherwise than by open competition there will be a reservation in favour of members of Scheduled Tribes of 5 per cent of the vacancies filled by direct recruitment.
- (c) *Anglo-Indians*—The reservations which were in force in favour of Anglo-Indians in the Railway Services, the Posts and Telegraphs Department and the Customs Department on the 14th August 1947, will be continued subject to the provisions of Article 336 of the Constitution.

3. The reservations prescribed in the previous paragraph will apply in the case of recruitment made on an all India basis. Under the Constitution all citizens of India are eligible for consideration for appointment to posts and services under the Central Government irrespective of their domicile or place of birth and there can be no recruitment to any Central Service which is confined by rule to the inhabitants of any specified area. In practice however recruitment to Class I and Class II Services and posts is likely to attract candidates from all over India and will be on a truly all India basis, while for the majority of Class III services and posts which are filled otherwise than through Union Public Service Commission only those residing in the area or locality in which the office is located are

likely to apply. In the latter class of cases the percentages of reservations for Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes will be fixed by Government taking into account the population of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes in that area.

4. (1) The orders regarding reservation of vacancies in favour of the various communities will not apply to recruitment by promotion which will continue to be made as heretofore irrespective of communal considerations and on the basis of seniority and/or merit as the case may be.

(2) In all cases a minimum standard of qualifications will be prescribed and the reservations will be subject to the over-all condition that candidates of the requisite communities possessing the prescribed qualifications and suitable in all respects for the appointment in question, are forthcoming in sufficient numbers for the vacancies reserved for them.

(3) The maximum age limits prescribed for appointment to a service or post will be increased by three years (later increased to 5 years) in case of candidates belonging to the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes and the fees prescribed for admission to any examination or selection will be reduced to one-fourth in their case.

(4) For the purposes of these orders, a person shall be held to be a member of the Scheduled Castes or the Scheduled Tribes, as the case may be, if he belongs to a caste or a tribe which under the Constitution (Scheduled Castes) Order, 1950, or under the Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order, 1950, has been declared to be Scheduled Caste or a Scheduled Tribe for the area in which he and/or his family ordinarily reside(s). Separate instructions will issue declaring the castes and tribes which should be considered as Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes for the purpose of these orders in Part C States and Part D territories.

(5) These orders are applicable to all services under the control of the Government of India including posts and services in States in Part C of the First Schedule to the Constitution and will be deemed to have come into effect on the 26th January 1950.

5. The orders contained in the Ministry of Home Affairs Resolution No. 16/10/47-Estt., dated the 21st August 1947, Office Memorandum No. 31/93/47-Estt., dated the 22nd August 1947 and other orders issued on the basis of those orders are hereby cancelled.

Order—Ordered that a copy of the Resolution be communicated to all Ministries of the Government of India, all Chief Commissioners, the Cabinet Secretariat, the Prime Minister's Secretariat, the Partition Secretariat, Directorate General of Resettlement and Employment, Principal, I.A.S. Training School, Director, Secretariat Training School, Commandant, Police Training College, Mount Abu, Director, Intelligence Bureau, and the Union Public Service Commission, for information and guidance; and Supreme Court of India, the Comptroller and Auditor General and all State Governments, for information; and also that the Resolution be published in the Gazette of India.

S. B. BAPAT
Joint Secretary

APPENDIX VII

SUMMARY I—Statement showing the number of Gazetted appointment held by different communities in several grades in the Mysore State Services on 31st March 1952.

No.	Community	Rs. 150 to Rs. 300		Rs. 300 to Rs. 500		Rs. 500 to Rs. 800		Rs. 800 and above		Total	
		Number	Per cent.	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	Vokkaligars	56	10.0	49	7.9	10	6.4	5	5.2	120	8.3
2	Lingayets	77	13.9	69	11.1	17	10.3	9	9.3	172	11.9
3	Kurubars	23	4.1	5	0.8	..	..	1	1.0	29	2.0
4	Pedars	4	0.7	1	0.1	..	..	..	..	5	0.3
5	Brahmins	207	36.9	236	37.8	..	52.1	40	41.2	369	39.4
6	Gangakulas	2	0.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	0.1
7	Yadavas	2	0.4	2	0.3	1	0.6	..	..	5	0.3
8	Banajigas	11	1.9	7	1.1	2	1.1	1	1.0	21	1.5
9	Viswakarnas	3	0.5	3	0.5	..	..	..	..	6	0.4
10	Upparas	2	0.4	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	0.1
11	Kunchitigas	5	0.9	5	0.8	..	..	3	3.1	13	0.9
12	Agasas	1	0.2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	0.1
13	Kshatriyas	16	2.8	25	4.0	8	4.8	4	4.1	53	3.7
14	Other Caste Hindus (including Sadars).	81	14.5	114	18.3	21	12.7	15	15.5	231	16.0
15	Depressed Classes	12	2.1	11	1.9	2	1.2	..	..	25	1.7
16	Christians, Anglo Indians and Europeans	23	4.1	37	5.9	11	6.6	9	9.3	80	5.5
17	Muslims	31	5.5	41	6.6	6	3.6	7	7.2	85	5.9
18	Other Communities (Jains, Parsees, Bhuddists; etc.)	4	0.7	18	2.9	1	0.6	3	3.1	26	1.9
	Total	560	100.0	623	100.0	165	100.0	97	100.0	1,445	100.0

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SUMMARY II.—Statement showing the number and percentage of Non-gazetted appointments in superior service held by different communities in several grades in the Mysore State Services on 31st March 1952.

Serial No.	Community	Ministerial											
		Upper Sub-ordinate Service		Division I or I Grade		II Division or II Class III II Grade		III Division or III Class III III Grade		Total			
		Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
1	Brahmins	223	55.9	1,090	44.9	2,318	31.6	469	35.2	4,100	38.3		
2	Vokkaligas	16	4.0	165	6.9	459	7.1	145	10.8	785	7.4		
3	Lingayets	11	8.0	191	7.8	646	9.2	124	9.1	993	9.4		
4	Kurubars	6	1.5	27	1.1	163	2.2	47	3.5	233	2.2		
5	Bedars	1	0.2	15	0.6	45	0.5	11	0.7	72	0.7		
6	Gangakulas	..	..	9	0.3	29	0.4	10	0.7	52	0.4
7	Yadavas	2	0.5	15	0.6	53	0.7	16	1.3	86	0.9		
8	Kshatriyas	8	2.0	58	1.9	196	2.7	50	2.3	292	2.8		
9	Banajigas	8	2.0	84	3.4	207	3.1	34	2.6	333	3.2		
10	Viswakarnas	1	0.2	34	1.3	130	2.1	26	1.9	191	1.7		
11	Upparas	1	0.2	11	0.4	11	0.3	4	0.3	35	0.3		
12	Kunchitigas	3	0.8	27	1.1	47	0.6	5	0.4	82	0.7		
13	Agasas	1	0.2	6	0.2	11	0.3	11	0.8	49	0.4		
14	Other Caste Hindus (including Sadars)	58	13.2	360	14.9	855	18.3	157	11.7	1,424	13.2		
15	Depressed Classes	3	0.8	11	2.7	464	7.6	86	6.6	621	5.7		
16	Muslims	20	5.0	162	6.9	520	7.9	113	8.7	815	7.5		
17	Indian Christians, Anglo Indians & Europeans.	17	5.5	96	3.9	325	4.7	37	2.7	480	4.4		
18	Other Communities (Jains, Parsis, Buddhists, Jews, Sikhs, Tribes and Others)	1	0.2	25	1.1	55	0.7	7	0.7	88	0.8		
	Total	400	100.0	2,443	100.0	6,556	100.0	1,332	100.0	10,731	100.0		

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SUMMARY III—Statement showing number and percentage of Non-gazetted appointments in superior service held by different communities in several Mysore State Services on 31st March 1952.

Serial No.	Community	Executive										Total	
		Upper Subordinate services		I Division or I Class or I Grade		II Division or II Class or II Grade		III Division or III Class or III Grade					
		Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12		
1	Brahmins	489	43.4	1,957	44.6	3,022	28.6	5,152	24.5	10,620	28.7	28.7	
2	Vokkaligars	85	7.3	308	6.8	1,047	9.5	2,437	11.4	3,877	10.4	10.4	
3	Lingayets	115	10.0	319	7.1	1,338	12.5	3,220	15.3	4,992	13.4	13.4	
4	Kurubars	11	0.8	53	1.2	199	1.9	388	1.9	651	1.8	1.8	
5	Bedars	1	0.1	17	0.5	89	0.9	311	1.4	418	1.4	1.4	
6	Gangakulas	4	0.3	18	0.5	67	0.7	161	0.7	250	0.7	0.7	
7	Yadavas	10	0.8	11	0.3	47	0.4	98	0.4	171	0.4	0.4	
8	Kshatriyas	37	3.2	151	3.4	277	2.7	223	1.9	688	1.9	1.9	
9	Banajigas	11	1.0	115	2.6	257	2.4	408	1.8	792	2.1	2.1	
10	Viswakarnas	3	0.3	21	0.6	764	1.5	464	2.4	652	1.7	1.7	
11	Upparas	1	0.1	8	0.2	31	0.3	85	0.4	125	0.4	0.4	
12	Kunchitigas	10	0.9	31	0.7	114	1.4	130	0.6	285	0.8	0.8	
13	Agasas	4	0.3	12	0.3	43	0.4	172	0.6	231	0.6	0.6	
14	Other Caste Hindus (including Sadars)	179	15.6	565	12.3	1,365	12.9	2,320	11.0	4,429	11.9	11.9	
15	Depressed Classes	11	2.7	79	1.8	518	4.9	1,521	7.4	2,151	5.7	5.7	
16	Muslims	83	7.2	384	8.7	1,107	10.4	2,668	12.6	4,242	11.4	11.4	
17	Indian-Christians, Anglo-Indians & European	99	5.4	310	7.2	823	7.8	1,084	5.2	2,280	6.1	6.1	
18	Other Communities, (Jains Parsis, Jews, Buddhists, Sikhs, Tribes and others)	8	0.6	49	1.2	1	0.8	119	0.5	259	0.6	0.6	
	..												
	Total	1,148	1000	4,413	100.0	10,591	100.0	20,961	100.0	37,113	100.0	100.0	

APPENDIX VII—contd:
SUMMARY IV—Statement showing the number and percentage of non-gazetted appointments in superior service held by different communities in several grades in the Mysore State Services on 31st March 1952.

Serial No.	Communities	Upper Subordinate Service		I Division or I Class or I Grade		II Division of II Class or II Grade		III Division or III Class or III Grade		Total	
		Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent	Number	Per cent
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	Brahmins	712	46.0	3,047	44.4	5,340	31.6	5,621	25.6	14,720	30.8
2	Vokkaligars	101	6.5	743	6.9	1,506	9.7	2,582	11.7	4,662	9.8
3	Lingayets	147	10.0	510	7.4	1,984	11.7	3,344	15.3	5,985	12.6
4	Kurubars	17	1.1	51	1.2	352	2.2	435	1.9	884	1.9
5	Bedars	2	0.1	32	0.5	134	0.7	322	1.4	490	1.0
6	Gangakulas	4	0.3	27	0.4	100	0.5	171	0.7	302	0.6
7	Yadavas	13	0.8	31	0.5	100	0.5	114	0.5	257	0.5
8	Kahatriyas	45	2.9	209	3.0	473	2.7	253	1.1	980	2.1
9	Banajigas	20	1.2	199	2.8	464	2.7	442	1.9	1,125	2.3
10	Viswakarnas	4	0.3	55	0.8	294	1.7	490	2.1	843	1.7
11	Upparas	2	0.1	19	0.3	50	0.3	89	0.4	10	0.4
12	Kunchitigas	13	0.8	111	0.9	161	0.9	135	0.6	367	0.7
13	Agasas	5	0.3	18	0.3	74	0.4	183	0.8	280	0.5
14	Other Caste Hindus (including Sadars)	231	14.5	925	13.4	2,220	12.9	2,477	11.4	5,853	12.4
15	Depressed Classes	36	2.3	143	2.4	982	5.6	1,607	7.1	2,772	5.7
16	Muslims	103	6.8	546	7.9	1,627	9.6	2,781	12.0	5,057	10.6
17	Indian-Christians, Anglo-Indians, Europeans, etc.	86	5.4	406	5.9	1,148	6.6	1,121	5.0	2,760	5.7
18	Other Communities (Jains, Parsis, Buddhists, Jews, Sikhs, Tribes and Others)	9	0.6	74	1.0	138	0.7	126	0.5	347	0.7
	Total	1,548	100.0	6,856	100.0	17,147	100.0	22,293	100.0	47,844	100.0

APPENDIX VIII

The following persons were co-opted as Members of the Commission during its tours in the States indicated against their names:—

<i>Name of the State</i>	<i>Names of the Co-opted Members</i>
1. Assam	1. Shri Indreswar Khaund, M.L.A. 2. Smt. Chandrababha Saikiani.
2. Bihar	1. Smt. Sumitra Devi, M.L.A. 2. Shri Kamaleshwari Prasad Yadav, M.L.A.
3. Bombay	1. Shri V. N. Naik. 2. Shri S. F. Kotur.
4. Himachal Pradesh	1. Shri Gopi Ram, M.P.
5. Hyderabad	1. Shri Bojjam Narasimloo. 2. Shrimati Shakuntala Devi.
6. Kutch	1. Shrimati Lakshmibai. 2. Dr. Vaghjibhai Solanki.
7. Madras	1. Miss T. M. Anantanayaki Ammal. 2. Shri Swayamprakasam, M.L.A.
8. Mysore	1. Shri A. Bhesmappa Naik, M.L.A. 2. Shrimati Indiramma.
9. Orissa	1. Shri Umacharan Das.
10. Saurashtra	—1 Shri Maldeijibhai M. Odedra, M.L.A.
11. Uttar Pradesh	1. Shri R. K. Mauriya.
12. Vindhya Pradesh	1. Shri Shambhu Nath Kahar.
13. Tripura	1. Shri Shibcharan Tanti. 2. Kumari Rani Singh.

APPENDIX IX

On account of their special knowledge of the backward classes, the Commission requested the following persons to join it in its tours in the States as indicated against their names.

1. Andhra	Shri T. Nageswara Rao.
2. Bombay.	1. Shri Parikshit Lal Majumdar. 2. Shri P. G. Shah (later appointed a member of the Commission).
3. Himachal Pradesh	Shri Dharam Dev Shastri.
4. Madras	Shri M. R. Ramchandran, M.L.A.
5. West Bengal	Shrimati Maya Devi Chhetri, M.P.



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List of Other Backward Classes as recommended by the Backward Classes Commission
(NOTE.—*Indicates Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of community	Hindi equivalent	Traditional occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Ahir	अहीर	Milkmen & cultivators.	2,725
■	*Bairwa (Berwa, Jatiya, Bola, Meghwanshi)	बेरवा (बेरवा, जटिया, बोला, मेघवंशी)	Leather workers	(Not available)
3	*Banjara	बनजारा	Pack-carriers	493
	*Berwa (S. No. 2)	बेरवा	Leather workers	(Not available)
	*Bola (S. No. 2)	बोला	Ditto	Ditto
4	Chhipa	छीपा	Dyers and printers.	3,918
5	Chita	चीता	Ditto	(Not available)
6	*Dakaut	डाकौत	Fortune tellers	855
7	Daroga	दरोगा	Personal attendants.	13,919
8	*Dhakar	ढाकर	..	1,097
9	Damami (Dholi, Nagarchi).	दमामी (ढोली नगरची)	Drummers and musicians.	(Not available)
	Dholi (S. No. 9)	ढोली	Ditto	2,217
10	Gawaria	गवारिया	..	1,513
11	Gadolia (Gadodia)	गाडोलिया (गाडोदिया)	..	122
	Gadodia (S. No. 11)	गडोदिया	..	(Not available)
12	Gujar	गुजर	Cowherds and graziers	47,956
13	Guhar	गुहार	..	(Not available)
	*Jatiya (S. No. 2)	जटिया	..	Ditto
14	Julaha	जुलाहा	Weavers	1,036
15	Kahar	कहार	Watermen and palanquin bearers.	5,084
16	Kasai	कसाई	Butchers	1,826
17	Khati	खाती	Carpenters	10,419
18	*Keer	कीर	..	699
19	Kumhar	कुम्हार	Potters	21,898

The Commission

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Shri A. V. Raman, *Deputy Secretary*.

Shri N. C. Sareen, *Section Officer*.

Shri G. D. Gupta, *Executive Officer*.

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284	*Raikari . . .	रायकरी	Fishermen . . .	(Not available)
285	*Raj Pardhi . . .	राज पारधी	Hunters and thieves .	6,886
286	Rami Mali . . .	रामी माली	Selling of flowers .	(Not available)
287	*Ramoshi . . .	रामोशी	Watchmen and thieves	83,611
288	Rangari . . .	रंगारी	Dyers . . .	(Not available)
289	*Raul, Ravalia, Rawal, Rawalyogi.	..	Weavers, bards, beg- gars.	61,542
	*Ravalia (S. No. 289)	रावलिया	Ditto . . .	(Not available)
	*Rawal (S. No. 289)	रावल	Ditto . . .	Ditto
	*Rawalyogi (S. No. 289)	रावलयोगी	Ditto . . .	Ditto
290	Rawat . . .	रावत	Horse breeders and coachmen.	Ditto
291	Sagar . . .	सगर	Cultivators . . .	1,943
292	*Sahadev Joshi . . .	सहदेव जोशी	Fortune tellers . . .	(Not available)
293	Saini . . .	सैनी	..	Ditto
294	Saisutar, Zalawadi . . .	साईसुतार	Tailoring and carpent- ing.	Ditto
295	*Salat . . .	सलाट	Stone dressers . . .	3,141
	*Salat Waghri (S. No. 17)	सलाट बाघरी	Ditto . . .	(Not available)
	Sali (S. No. 258)	साली	Weavers . . .	Ditto
	Sangameshwari (S. No. 23)	संगमेश्वरी	Traders . . .	Ditto
296	Sangar . . .	सणगर	Blanket and wool weavers.	7,760
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	*Sankuri (S. No. 85)	..	Fishing, sea ferrying .	(Not available)
	*Sansia (S. No. 35)	सांसीआ	Beggars, thieves .	Ditto
298	*Sarania . . .	सराणीआ	Knife grinders . . .	932
299	Sarekari . . .	सारेकरी	Labourers . . .	(Not available)
	*Sargara (S. No. 133)	..	Agriculture & manual labour.	Ditto
300	*Saroda . . .	सारोडा	Fortune tellers . . .	Ditto
301	*Sarvade . . .	सरवडे	Ditto . . .	Ditto
302	Sarwan . . .	सारवान	..	Ditto

1	2	3	4	5
	Saini (S. No. 58)	सैनी	Gardeners and cultivators.	6,602
	Sagarwanabi Mali (S. No. 58).	सागरवंशी माली	Ditto	(Not available)
69	Saiz	साईज	..	Ditto
	*Sakka (S. No. 1)	'सक्का	Muslim watermen	Ditto
	*Sangtarash (S. No. 67)	संगतराश	Stone-cutters	7
	Santhia (S. No. 58)	संथिया	Gardeners and cultivators.	(Not available)
70	Sonar	सोनार	Goldsmiths	5,295
71	Taga, Tagah	तगा, तगाह	Manual labourers	(Not available)
	Tagah (S. No. 71)	तगाह	Ditto	22,885
	Tank (S. No. 18)	टांक	Cloth dyers and tailors.	(Not available)
	Tarkhan (S. No. 11)	तरखान	Carpenters	16,000
	Tamboli (S. No. 6)	तम्बोली	Betel leaf growers and sellers.	71
72	Teli	तेली	Oil pressers	14,755
	Temara (S. No. 48)	टेमारा	Brass vessel makers	(Not available)
	Thathera (S. No. 48)	ठठेरा	Brass ware makers	Ditto
	Thathiar (S. No. 48)	ठठियार	Ditto	96
73	Sikhs (<i>vide note</i>)	..	..	..

1	2	3	4	5
71	Kaasaar, Kasar . . .	कासार	Bangle sellers, and braziers.	76,812
72	Kasaar	कासार	Manufacturers of brass and copper utensils.	(Not available)
	Kasar (S. No. 71) . . . . .	..	..	..
73	*Karipapala	कटीपापला	Professional beggars .	13,084
74	Khathi	खाटी	Making and repairing agricultural implements.	1,74,489
75	*Kolhati, Kolhatni	कोल्हाटी	Acrobats, jugglers and rope dancers.	1,391
76	*Konchi Korava	कांची कोरवा	Basket and mat making	(Not available)
77	*Korava	कोरवा	Ditto	Ditto
78	Koshti	कोष्टी	Wearers and cultivators.	Ditto
79	Kumbara	कुंभार	Potters	Ditto
80	Kumbhar	कुंभार	Ditto	3,31,387
81	Kummara	कुम्भरा	Ditto	1,92,722
82	Kurba	कुरबा	Shepherds	(Not available)
83	Kurma	कुर्मा	Ditto.	72,599
84	Kuvinchetty	कुवीन-चेट्टी	Weavers and cultivators.	(Not available)
85	Laddaf	लदाफ	Carders	3,183
86	Lodha . . . . .	..	Agriculturists	14,851
87	Lohar . . . . .	..	Blacksmith	(Not available)
88	*Lonari . . . . .	..	Lime and charcoal burners.	Ditto
89	Mahali	महाली	Barbers	Ditto
90	*Mahendra, Medari	मेदारी	Bamboo workers	6,388
91	Mali . . . . .	..	Fruit and vegetable growers.	2,20,587
92	*Mandulavaru . . . . .	..	Selling of crude medicinal herbs.	135
93	Mangala	मंगला	Barbers	3,43,420
94	Manigar	मशीगार	Hawkars and mendicants	(Not available)
95	Maratha . . . . .	..	Mostly agriculturists .	32,06,551
96	Masan Jogi	मसान जोगी	Religious mendicants .	(Not available)
	*Medari (S. No. 90) . . . . .	..	..	..

1	2	3	4	5
118	*Pichakuntla . . .	पिच्चकुंट	Wandering beggars . . .	19,256
119	Pinjara . . .	पिजारा	Cotton carders . . .	(Not available)
120	Pinjari . . .	पिजारी	Ditto . . .	Ditto
121	Poosala . . .	पुसला	Taking old clothes in exchange of utensils.	Ditto
122	Qasa , Qassab, Quaraishi . . .	..	Butchers and meat sellers.	Ditto
	Qassab (S. No. 122) . . .	..	..	..
	Quraishi (S. No. 122) . . .	..	..	..
	Rangari (S. No. 13) . . .	रंगारी	..	..
	Rangrez (S. No. 13) . . .	रंगरेज़	..	..
	*Rassiban (S. No. 17) . . .	..	..	..
123	*Sagar, Uppara . . .	..	Earth workers, day labourers.	1,70,892
124	Sakulashali . . .	सकुलाशाली	Weaving combined with cultivation.	(Not available)
	Sale (S. No. 109) . . .	..	..	..
125	*Sangtarash . . .	..	Stone carvers . . .	Ditto
126	*Satani . . .	सातानी	Professional beggars attached to temples.	1,16,330
	Sharigaru (S. No. 4) . . .	..	..	..
127	Shimpi . . .	शिपी	Professional tailors . . .	1,36,794
128	Shimpiga . . .	शिपिगा	Ditto . . .	(Not available)
129	Somakshatriya . . .	..	Carpenters and painters	Ditto
130	Sonar . . .	सोनार	Goldsmiths . . .	2,96,438
131	*Sudugadusiddha . . .	सुडुगाडसिद्धा	Professional beggars . . .	(Not available)
132	*Surabhi Janga . . .	..	Mendicants . . .	Ditto
133	*Sutar, *Wadhai . . .	..	Carpenters . . .	(Not available)
134	*Tammali . . .	तम्माली	Temple servants, professional beggars.	Ditto
135	Telaga or Telagu . . .	तेलागा वा तेलगू	Cultivators . . .	Ditto
136	Teli . . .	तेली	Oil pressers & petty traders.	1,57,265
137	*Tenugollu . . .	तेनुगोल्ला	Honey collectors, toddy shopkeepers.	(Not available)
138	Thambat . . .	ताम्मट	Coppersmiths . . .	Ditto

KUTCH

List of Other Backward Classes as recommended by the Backward Classes Commission

(NOTE.—*Indicates Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Ahir	अहीर	Cowherds	31,098
2	Ayer	अयेर	Agriculture and cattle breeding.	(Not available)
3	Bairagi, Bawa	बैरागी, बावा	Religious beggars	Ditto
4	Barot	बारोट	Agriculturists	Ditto
	Bawa (S. No. 3)	बावा	Religious beggars	Ditto
5	Bhat	भाट	..	Ditto
6	Bhansali	भन्साली	Agriculture . . . .	..
7	*Bharwad	भरवाड़	Cattle breeders	15,897
8	Bhavsar	भावसार	Dyers and printers	303
9	*Bhoi	भोई	Litter bearers and fishermen.	54
10	Charan	चारण	Cattle rearers and agriculture.	8,361
11	Chanara	चणारा	..	(Not available)
12	Darzi, Sai	दर्जी, साई	Tailors	3,301
13	*Depala Dhobi	डेपाला धोबी	Washermen	(Not available)
14	Fakir	फकीर	Muslim beggars	Ditto
15	Ghancha	घान्वा	Oil pressers	Ditto
16	*Garudi	गारूडी	Snake charmers	Ditto
17	Hajam	हजाम	Barbers	7,434
18	*Hingora	हिंगोरा	..	(Not available)
19	Jethi Mal	जेशीमल	Wrestlers	Ditto
20	Jat	जाट	Agriculturists	3,084
21	Jogivadi	जोगीवाडी	Temple servants	(Not available)
22	*Jachak Mir Dhadi	जाचक मीरडाडी	Beggars	Ditto

MADRAS STATE

List of Other Backward Classes as recommended by the Backward Classes Commission

(NOTE.- * Indicates Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Adi-Saiva . . . .	..	Pujaris . . . .	..
2	Agamudaiyan (Excluding Vellala).	..	Agriculturists . . . .	..
3	*Agasa . . . .	..	Washermen . . . .	..
4	*Agnikula Kshatriya, Palli, Vanniyakula Kshatriya.	..	Agriculture and farm labour, fishing.	..
5	Airavar, Ayiravaisya . . . .	..	Petty traders . . . .	..
6	*Ambalakaran . . . .	..	Temple service . . . .	..
7	*Ambika . . . .	..	Ferry . . . .	..
8	Andhiyadiya Domb, Audi- niya Domb, Chonel Domb, Christian Domb, Domb, Mirgani Domb, Ponaka Domb, Telaga, Ummia.	..	Not available . . . .	..
9	*Andi Pandaram . . . .	..	Pujaris-peddler . . . .	..
10	Annadan . . . .	..	Not available . . . .	..
11	Annupagoundar (Ramnad, Coimbatore, Madura, Tinnevely).	..	Cultivation, cattle rearing.	..
12	*Arc Maharati (S. Kanara)	..	Agricultural labour . . . .	..
13	Arya (S. Kanara) . . . .	..	Agriculture . . . .	..
14	Asthana Golla (Coimba- tore and Malabar Distts.)	..	Agriculture, cattle breeding.	..
15	Atagora, Devanga . . . .	..	Weaving . . . .	..
	Audiniya Domb (S. No. 8)	..	Not available . . . .	..
	Ayira vaisya (S. No. 5) . . . .	..	Petty trader . . . .	..
16	Ayodhareddi, Kambalathar, Kendi, Kottai Reddi, Rajakambala Naicker, Reddi Ganiga.	..	Agriculture . . . .	..
17	Balolika . . . .	..	Trader . . . .	..

PATIALA & EAST PUNJAB STATES UNION

List of Other Backward Classes as recommended by the Backward Classes Commission.

(NOTE.— *Indicates the Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Acharaj	अचारज	Burn dead bodies . .	(Not available)
2	*Aheri, Aheria, Heri, Naik, Thori, Tori.	..	Hunters, fowlers and agriculturists.	7,552 (Only Aheri and Heri).
	*Aheria (S. No. 2) . . .	..	..	(Not available).
3	Bagria	बागड़िया	..	52
4	Bairagi, Baragi . . .	बैरागी	Rearing of animals .	12,638
	Baragi (S. No. 4) . . .	..	..	..
5	Barhai, Tarkhan . . .	बढई	Carpenters . . .	38,603 (Only Tarkhan).
6	Bathi	बाठी	..	78
7	*Bhand	भांड	Story tellers and buffoons.	23.
	*Bharbhujia	भडभूजा	Grain roasters . .	947
9	*Changar	छंगर	Agricultural labour .	1,724
10	Chhimba, Chimpa, Darzi, Tank.	छीम्बा	Dyers and printers .	14,358 (Only Chhimba)..
	Chimpa (S. No. 10) . . .	..	..	..
11	*Chirimar	चिड़मार	Bird catchers . . .	81
	Darzi (S. No. 10) . . .	दर्जी	..	2,222
12	*Deha, Dhaya, Dhea . .	डीहा	Makers of winnowing fans.	(Not available)
	*Dhaya (S.No. 12). . .	दया	..	(Not available.)
	*Dhea (S. No. 12) . . .	दीया	..	Ditto
13	*Dhinwar, Jhinwar, Kahar, Mallah.	धीवर	Watermen and palanquin bearers.	..
14	Dhobi	धोबी	Washermen . . .	7,568
15	*Dosali . . . .	..	Leaf plate makers .	12
16	Gadaria	गडरिया	Shepherds . . .	3,655

1	2	3	4	5
39	Mochi	मोची	Leather workers	19,930
	*Naik (S. No. 2)	नायक	Agriculture	862
	Nai (S. No. 21)	नाई	Barbers	(See Hajjam)
40	Penja, Pinja . . . .	..	Cotton scutchers	6,473
	Pinja (S. No. 40)	पिजा	..	..
	Rai (S. No. 36)	राई	..	(Not available)
41	*Shorgir . . . .	..	Salt petre collectors	110
42	Sikhs (<i>Vide Note</i>) . . . .	..	..	..
43	*Singhikaut, Singhiwals . . . .	..	Suckling out impure blood through horn. (Not available)	
	*Singhiwals (S. No. 43)	सिंघीवाल	..	..
	Tamera (S. No. 26)	तमेरा	..	..
	*Tank (S. No. 10) . . . .	..	..	340
	Tarkhan (S. No. 5)	तरखान	..	(See Barhai)
44	Teli	तेली	Oil pressers	55,597
	Thathera (S. No. 26)	ठठेरा	..	(See Kasera)
	*Thori (S. No. 2) . . . .	..	..	4,444
	*Tori (S. No. 2) . . . .	..	..	(See Thori)

MADHYA BHARAT

List of Scheduled Tribes published under the Constitution (Scheduled Tribes) Order 1950, together with the revision suggested by the Backward Classes Commission

Sl. No.	Existing List	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951	Communities recommended for Exclusion	Communities recommended for Inclusion	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I. Throughout the State:							
1	Gond	गोंड	12,986	1	Barla	बरेला	..
2	Korku	कोरकु	..	2	Khordai	खारदै	..
3	Seharia	सहरिया	34,434	3	Mankar	मनकर	..
				4	Nihal (may be put with 'Korku').	निहाल (कोरकु के साथ)	..
				5	Patelia (may be put with Bhil and Bhilala).	पाटलिया (भील और भिलाला के साथ)	..
				6	Tadvi (may be put with Bhil and Bhilala).	तड़वी (भील और भिलाला के साथ)	..
II. In the Revenue District of Jabua; in the tehsils of Sandhua, Boruani, Rajpur, Khargone, Bhikangoon and Maheshwar of the Revenue District of Khargone; in the tehsil of Sailana of the Revenue District of Rattlam; in the tehsils of Sardarpur, Kudsni, Dhar, and Manawar of the Revenue District of Dhar:							
							Bhils and Bhilalas (inclusive of sub-tribes).

- 11 Holva . . .
 12 Jadapus . . .
 13 Jatapus . . .
 14 Kamnara . . .
 15 Kattunayakan . . .
 16 Khatris-Khatti, Kommarao and Lohara.
 17 Kodu . . .
 18 Kommar . . .
 19 Konda Dhoras . . .
 20 Konda Kapus . . .
 21 Kondareddis . . .
 22 Kondhis-Desaya Kondhis, Dongria Kondhis, Kutiya Kondhis, Tikiria Kondhis, and Yeniy Kondhis.
 23 Kota . . .
 24 Kotia-Barika, Ben-
 tho Oriya, Dhulia
 or Dulia Holva Pa-
 iko, Putiya, San-
 rona and Sidho-
 Paiko.



1	2	3	4	5
20	*Kharol . . .	खरोल	Salt makers	2,235
21	Lodha . . .	लोधा	..	1,900
22	Lohar . . .	लोहार	Blacksmith	5,619
23	Labana . . .	नवाणा	Pack Carriers	(Not available)
24	Lakhera . . .	लखेरा	Lac bangle makers	1,490
25	Mali . . .	माली	Gardeners and Vegetable growers.	20,033
26	Mehrat . . .	मेहरात	..	493
	*Meghwanshi (S. No. 2)	मेघवंशी	..	(Not available)
27	*Mina . . .	मीणा	..	7,183
	Nagarchi (S. No. 9)	नगार्ची	Drum beaters	(Not available)
28	Nai . . .	नाई	Barbers	9,612
29	Nayak . . .	नायक	..	1,894
30	*Od . . .	ओड़	..	529
31	*Rebari . . .	रेबारी	Cowherds and Milkmen	3,277
32	Rawat . . .	रावत	..	1,13,451
33	Sadhu . . .	साधु	Beggars	7,660
34	Sikligar . . .	सिकलीगर	..	(Not available)
35	*Sapera . . .	सपेरा	Agriculturists and labourers, snake charmers.	Ditto
36	Tank . . .	टांक	Tailors	(Not available)
37	Teli . . .	तेली	Oil pressers	6,526
38	Sikh (<i>Vide</i> Note)	सिख	..	..
39	Jagyasi . . .	जग्यासी	..	..

ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS

List of Other Backward Classes as recommended by the Backward Classes Commission

All permanent inhabitants in the Andaman and Nicobar Islands, including the settlers under the colonisation scheme, excluding the Scheduled Tribes.



ANDHRA STATE

List of Other Backward Classes recommended by the Backward Classes Commission

(NOTE.—*Indicates Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of Community	Hindi equivalent	Traditional occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Adi-Telaga . . .	..	Dancing	
2	Agnikula Kshatriya, Pallekapu, Pallereddi, Palli, Vannireddi, Vanni Kapu, Vannikula Kshatriya.	..	Agricultural labour, farm labour, fishing.	
3	*Aiyarakulu . . .	..	Agricultural labour	
4	*Amaguntamala Poligar	..	(Not available)	
5	*Anarpay Mala . .	..	Ditto	
■	*Anne Boyina Palli .	..	Ditto	
7	*Andhiya Domb, Chonel Domb, Christian Domb, Dombo, Mirgani Domb, Ponaka Domb, Telaga, Ummia, Audiniya Domb.	..	Ditto	
■	Arakalu . . . .	..	Sweetmeat dealers	
9	*Archukatlavandu .	..	Oria speaking carriers of grain on bullocks.	
10	*Are Maharati . . .	आरे मराठि	Agricultural labours	
11	*Arya Kshatriya . .	..	Wood carving and painting.	
12	Atagara, Devanga . .	..	Weavers	
	Audiniya Domb (No. 7)	..	..
13	Ayodha Kapu . . .		Cultivators	
14	Battada . . . .	..	(Not available)	
15	*Bestha	बेस्त	Hunting, fishing	
16	*Bhandari . . . .	..	Barbers	
17	*Bhatraju . . . .	..	Beggars and ballads	
18	Bhavasara Kshatriya .	..	Tailoring, dyeing	
19	Bisoy . . . .	..	Fuedal chiefs	

1	2	3	4	5
20	Bondil . . . .	..	Sepoys, constables.	
21	*Boya	बोय	Stone breakers	
22	*Budabukkala . . . .	..	Beggars	
23	*Chakala . . . .	..	Washermen	
24	*Chatadi, Chattada Sri Vaishnava.	..	Making garlands, clean- ing of temples.	
	*Chattadasri Vaish- nava (No. 24).	..	Making garlands, clean- ing of temples.	
	*Chonel Domb (S. No. 7).	..	(Not available)	
	*Christian Domb (S. No. 7).	..	Ditto	
25	Dandrolu, Dyandrawar	..	Weavers	
26	*Dasari	दासरि	Mendicants—Beggars	
27	Devalkar . . . .	..	(Not available)	
28	*Devakuditalayari . . . .	..	Ditto	
	Devanga (S. No. 12)	देवांग	Weavers	
29	*Dombo . . . .	..	(Not available)	
	*Dombo (S. No. 7)	..		
30	*Dommara	दोम्मर	Jugglers—beggars	
31	*Donga Dasari . . . .	..	Begging	
32	*Donga Yata . . . .	..	(Not available)	
33	Dudekula	दूदेकुल	Cotton cleaning	
	Dyandrawar (S. No. 25)	..	Weavers	
34	Garralla, Gowda, Kalali	..	Cultivation and cattle breeding.	
35	Gandla	गांडल	Oil pressing	
36	Gangavar . . . .	..	Masonry—labour.	
37	*Gangi Reddula . . . .	..	Begging	
38	Ganiga, Nagavamsam	..	Oil pressing	
39	Gavara	गवर	Shepherd	
40	Gazula Balija . . . .	..	Bangle sellers	
41	Godaba	गोडब	(Not available)	
42	Golla, Iddayar, Konar, Yadav.	..	Shepherds	

1	2	3	4	5
43	Gonde . . . . .	..	(Not available)	
	Gowda (S. No. 34) . . . . .	..	Shepherds, cultivators	
44	Hegde, Kuruba . . . . .	..	Ditto	
45	Idiga, Setti Baliya	ईडिग (सेट्टिबलिज)	Toddy tappers	
46	*Jakkula (Guntur Dist.)	जक्कुल	Begging and basket making.	
47	*Jalari . . . . .	..	Fishing and palanquin bearing.	
48	Janappa Chetty . . . . .	..	Manufacturers of gunny-bags.	
49	Jandara . . . . .	..	Rope making	
50	Jangam	जंगम्	Beggars, priests.	
51	*Jambovanodai . . . . .	..	(Not available)	
52	*Jarugamalli . . . . .	..	Ditto	
53	Jetty	जेट्टि	Professional wrestlers and gymnasts.	
54	*Jogi	जोगी	Piggery	
55	*Kaikollan . . . . .	..	Weaving	
	Kalali (S. No. 34) . . . . .	..	Cultivation, cattle breeding.	
56	Kalavanthula	कलावंतुल	Dancers and singers.	
57	Kalingi	कालिंगि	Agricultural labour	
58	Kammalan, Kamsala, Viswa Brahman, Viswa karma.)	कम्मलन् (कम्सालि, विश्व ब्राह्मण, विश्वकर्म)	Smithy	
	Kamsala (S. No. 58) . . . . .	..	Ditto	
59	Kanchari . . . . .	..	Brassware makers	
60	Kapu (Srikakulam & Vizag Distt.).	..	Agriculturists	
61	Kasab (Qasab) . . . . .	..	Butchers	
62	*Kepmari . . . . .	..	(Not available)	
63	Khatri	खत्रि	Silk weavers	
64	*Kintala Kalinga . . . . .	..	(Not available)	
	Konar (S. No. 42) . . . . .	..	Rear cattle, gardening	
65	Koppala Velama	कोप्पल वेलम	Agriculturists	
66	*Koracha	कोरच	Weave nets for fishing	

1	2	3	4	5
67	Kunchita Kapu . . .	..	Agricultural labour	
68	*Kulala, Kummari . . .	कुलाल (कुम्मरि) कुम्मरि	Potters	
	*Kummari (S. No. 68)	कुम्मरि	Ditto	
	*Kuruba (S. No. 44) . . .	कुरुव	..	
69	*Madivala . . .	..	Washermen	
70	*Mahendra, Medara . . .	महेन्द्र (मेदर)	Making Articles of bamboos like baskets.	
71	Mahratta (non-Brah- min).	मराटा (भ्रम्राह्मण)	Butchers and traders	
72	Malc . . .	माले	Assists Brahmins in temple work.	
73	Mali, Mali Korchia, Paddamali, Paikomali.	..	(Not available)	
	Mali Korchia (S.No.73)	..	Ditto	
74	*Mangala . . .	मंगल	Barbers	
	*Medara (S. No. 70) . . .	..	Making articles of bam- boos like basket.	
75	*Meru Kshatriya . . .	..	Begging	
	Mirgani Donib (S. No. 7).	..	(Not available)	
76	*Modi Randa . . .	..	Beggars	
77	*Mondi-vogola . . .	..	(Not available)	
78	*Mund Patta . . .	..	Ditto	
79	Mutracha . . .	मुत्राच	Cultivators	
	Nagavamsam (S. No. 38)	..	Oil pressing	
80	Nagaram . . .	..	Native doctors and cultivators	
81	Nakkale . . .	नक्कल	Weaving and begging	
82	Namdev Mahratta . . .	नाम्देव मराटा	Dyers and tailors	
83	*Neyyalu . . .	..	Fishing and labour	
84	*Nirshikari . . .	..	(Not available)	
85	*Odde, Odder, Vadde, Veddai, Vodde.	ओड्डे, वोड्डे वड्डे वड्डे	Earth work	
86	*Odiya . . .	ओडिय	Agricultural labour	
	Paddamali (S. No.73).	..	(Not available)	
87	*Paidee . . .	..	Ditto	
	Paikomali (S. No.73) . . .	..	Ditto	

1	2	3	4	5
88	*Pala Ekari		Hill cultivators	
89	*Palavyakula Kshatriya		Ditto	
	*Palle Kapu (S. No. 2)		Fishing	
	*Palle Reddi (S. No. 2)		Ditto	
90	*Pamula	पामुल	Snake Charmers—reavers	
91	Pangadikara		Labourers	
92	Pattunulkaran		Silk weavers	
93	*Pedditti Golla		(Not available)	
94	*Perike	पेरिक	Weavers	
95	Perike Balija		Farm labours	
96	*Picchigunta		(Not available)	
	*Ponaka Domb (S. No. 7).		Ditto	
97	Puragiri Kshatriya		Ditto	
98	*Pusala, Pusalavadu	पूसल (पूसलवाडु)	Sell beads and bangles.	
	Pusalavadu (S. No. 98)	पूसलवाडु	Ditto	
99	*Rajaka		Washermen and Palanquin bearers.	
100	Rangaraju (in Kurnool Dist.)		Tailors	
101	Reddi (Ganjam)	रेड्डि (गंजाम्)	Agricultural labour	
102	Reddi of Reddika origin		Ditto	
103	Rona		Cultivation	
104	Sadhu Chetty, 24 Manai Teluga Chetty, Teluga Chetty.		Agriculture and trade	
105	*Sagara, Uppara		Salt Manufacturers	
106	Scheduled Castes converted to Christianity (Vide Note).			
107	Setti Balija (of Vizag, East and West Godavari, Krishna Distts.)	सेट्टि बलिज	Toddy tappers	
	Setti Balija (S. No. 45).		Ditto	
108	Sourastera		Weavers	
109	*Srisayana	श्रीशायन	Labourers	
110	Swakula Sali		Weavers	

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111	Tatapu	(Not available)	
112	*Tak Bodar	Ditto	
	Telaga (S. No. 7)	Ditto	
113	*Telaga Pamula	Ditto	
114	Telikula . . . .	..	Oil Mongers	
	Teluga Chetty (S. No. 10). . . .	..	Agriculturists	
115	Thegotaveerksatriya . . . .	..	Weavers	
116	*Thurpu Kapu . . . .	..	Agricultural labour	
117	Tigala (Tigla) . . . .	..	Betel vine cultivators	
	Tigla (S. No. 117) . . . .	..	Ditto	
	Ummia (S. No. 7) . . . .	..	(Not available)	
	*Uppara (S. No. 105) . . . .	..	Salt manufacturers	
118	Vada Balija of Ganjam and Vizag. Distts. . . .	..	(Not available)	
	Veddai (S.No. 85) . . . .	..	Earth work	
	Vadde (S. No. 85) . . . .	..	Ditto	
119	*Vadugan, Vaduvan . . . .	..	Basket making	
	*Vaduvan (S. No. 119) . . . .	..	Ditto	
120	*Valimiki of Rayalaseema . . . .	..	Agricultural labour	
	*Vanne Reddi (S. No. 2) . . . .	..	Fishing	
121	Vanniar . . . .	..	Oil pressers	
	*Vanni Kapu (S. No. 2) . . . .	..	Fishing	
	*Vanni Kulakshatriya (S. No. 2). . . .	..	Agricultural labour and Fishing.	
	Viswa Brahman (S. No. 58) . . . .	..	Smithy	
	Viswakarma (S. No. 58) . . . .	..	Ditto	
	*Vodde (S. No. 85) . . . .	..	Earth work	
122	Vokkaliga . . . .	..	Agricultural labour	
	*Wodayar . . . .	..	Potters	
	Yadava (S. No. 42)	यादव		
123	Sikh Harijan (<i>Vide</i> Note) . . . .	..	
124	Saliyan (Padamsali, Pattusali, Senapa-thulu, Kauni Bhak-tulu, Sale, Thogata, Sali, Kerikal Bhak-tulu.)		

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Sl. No.	Name of Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Ahom . . .	आहोम	Cultivators	3,55,568
2	*Badi(Nepali) . . .		Drum makers	(Not available)
3	*Baria . . .	बारिया		103
4	*Baroi, Barui, Barujibi . . .	बारोई	Betel leaf cultivators	2,858
	*Barui (S. No. 4) . . .	..	..	..
	*Barujibi (S. No. 4) . . .	..	..	..
5	*Choudang . . .	..	Executioners	(Not available)
6	Chutiya . . .	चुटिया	Cultivators	1,62,269
7	Daibagya, Daivagna, Ganak. . .	..	Astrologers	(Not available)
8	*Damai (Nepali) . . .	दमाई (नेपाली)	Tailors	Ditto
	Daivagna (S. No. 7) . . .	..	..	..
	Dey, Sudra Das . . .	दे, शुद्रदास	..	6,372
10	*Gainey (Nepali) . . .	..	Minstrels	(Not available)
	Ganak (S. No. 7) . . .	गराक	..	..
11	*Ghosh, Gop, Gowala . . .	..	Cattle keeping	53,294
	*Gop. (S. No. 11) . . .	..	..	..
12	*Gorkhodu . . .	..	Grave diggers	(Not available)
	*Gowala (S. No. 11) . . .	..	..	..
13	Hali Kaibartta . . .	..	Cultivators	(Not available)
14	*Jolaha, Momin . . .	..	Weavers	Ditto
15	Kalwar . . .	..	Toddy tappers	4,257
16	*Kami (Nepali) . . .	..	Gold and black smithy.	2,550
17	Kamar, Karmakar	Blacksmith	67,902
18	Kandu	Sweetmeat makers	2,155
	Karmakar (S. No. 17)

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19	*Kasai, Kassab, Quraishi. *Kassab (S. No. 19) .	..	Butchers	(Not available)
20	Koch, Rajbanshi	कोच, राजवंशी	Cultivators	1,55,398
21	*Kumar, Rudra Paul of Cachar.	कुमार	Potters	34,153
22	*Kupadhar, Kushiari, Rarh. *Kushiari(S. No. 22) .	कुपाधार ..	..	(Not available) ..
23	Mahisya, Mahisya Das Mahisya Das (S. No.23)	महिस्य, महिस्यदास महिस्यदास	Fishing and boating ..	65,762 ..
24	Manipuri . . .	मणिपुरी	..	(Not available)
25	*Matak, *Moran .	मटक, मरान	A religious sect	21,479
26	Modak . . . *Momin (S. No. 14) . *Moran (S. No. 25) .	.. .. मरान	Confectioners	(Not available)
27	Moria . . .	..	Brass workers	3,739
28	*Mukhi . . .	..	Lime burners	4,739
29	Napit . . .	नापित	Barbers	(Not available)
30	Nath, Yogi . .	नाथ, योगी	Weaving and silk rearing	18,386
31	*Nishad (*Mallah, *Tyar, *Bind, Khul- vat *Goria, Vankar, *Bathua, *Kewat, *Manjhi). *Quraishi (S. No. 19) Rajbanshi (S. No. 20). *Rarh (S. No. 22) . *Rudra Paul of Cachar Only (S. No. 21).	.. .. राजवंशी	Fishing, boating, and palanquin bearing.	1,85,470
32	Saha, Sahu, Suri . Sahu (S. No. 32) .	.. ..	Liquor distilling and selling. ..	34,702 ..
33	Saloi . . .	सालै	Cultivators	16,848
34	*Sarki (Nepali) . .	सार्की	Cobblers	1,162
35	Sikh Harijan(Vide note)	..	..	(Not available)
36	Sonowal . . . Sudra Das (S. No. 9) . Suri (S. No. 32) .	.. शुद्र दास ..	Cultivators	26,753

1	2	3	4	5
37	Sut	सुत	Silk rearing and Silk weaving.	36,389
38	Tanti, Tantri, Tantaripal.	..	Weavers	(Not available)
	Tantri (S. No. 38) . . . . .	..	..	..
	Tantripal (S. No. 38) तात्रीपाल	..	..	..
39	Tatiyajan . . . . .	..	Boat plying	(Not available)
40	Tea-garden labourers . . . . .	..	Labourers	..
41	*Ex-Tea-garden labourers.	..	Cultivators and labourers	15,83,457
42	Teli (Nepali)	तेली (नेपाली)	Oil pressing	(Not available)
43	Teli	तेली	Ditto	20,169
	Yogi (S. No. 30)	योगी	..	..
44	Scheduled Tribes in three areas when they leave their habitat and settle in other parts of Assam.

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Sl. No.	Name of community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Ahir	अहीर	Herdsmen	14,431
2	Bairagi	बैरागी	Mendicants	3,196
3	Barai, Tamboli . . . .	..	Betel leaf growers	1,943
4	Barhunda . . . .	..	..	322
5	Banjara . . . .	..	Pack bullock carriers	1,671
6	Behna, Pinjara . . . .	..	Cotton cleaners	69
7	Bharbhunja . . . .	..	Grain parchers	104
8	Bhat . . . .	..	Bards and genealogists	664
9	*Bhishti . . . .	..	Water carriers . . . .	..
10	*Bhoi, Kahar, Kewat, Mallah, Dhimar.	भोई	Palanquin-bearers, fishermen and domestic servants.	.. 17,728
11	Chippa, Rangrez	छोपा	Dyeing and printing. . . .	1,036
12	*Choongar	चुनगर	..	..
13	Chipar	छोपर	..	..
14	*Dafali, Dholi . . . .	..	Drum-beaters	348
15	Dhobi. (excluding those in S. C.)	धोबी	Washermen	8,036
	*Dhimar (S. No. 10)	धोमर	Palanquin-bearers, fishermen and domestic servants.	
	*Dholi (S. No. 14)	..	Drum beaters	348
16	Dhunia, Naddaf . . . .	..	Carders	6,607
17	Dangi . . . .	..	Land owners and cultivators.	7,569
18	Darzi . . . .	..	Tailors	5,585
19	Dhakad . . . .	..	..	5,520
20	*Dhangar . . . .	..	Shepherds	7

1	2	3	4	5
21	Fakir . . . . .	..	Mendicant, beggars .	3,673
22	*Gadaria, Gadri, Gari . गाडरी	..	Shepherds . . .	5,404
	*Gadri (S. No. 22) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
	*Gari (S. No. 22) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
23	Gaoli, Gwal . . . . .	..	Ditto	1,382
24	Ghosi, Gnosi . . . . .	..	Buffalo-herdsmen .	1,463
	Gnosi (S. No. 24) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
25	Gosain . . . . .	..	Religious mendicants .	3,761
26	Gujar गूजर	..	Agriculturists and herdsmen.	10,765
	Gwal (S. No. 23) . . . . .	..	Shepherds . . .	..
27	Jat . . . . .	..	Land owners and cul- tivators.	6,148
28	Jogi . . . . .	..	Mendicants and pedlars	253
29	Julaha, Momin . . . जुलाहा	..	Weavers	450
30	Kachchi काछी	..	Vegetable growers .	22,101
	*Kahar (S. No. 10) . . . कहार	..	Palanquin-bearers, fishermen and domestic servants.	..
31	Kalal, Kalar . . . . .	..	Liquor distillers .	6,680
	Kalar (S. No. 31) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
32	*Kalbelia . . . . .	..	..	..
33	Kalota कलौता	..	Agriculture . . .	3,996
34	Kandera कन्डेरा	..	Ditto	513
35	Kasab . . . . .	..	Butchers . . . . .	..
36	Kasera . . . . .	..	Makers and sellers of brass and copper vessels.	687
	*Kewat (S. No. 10) . . केवट	..	Palanquin-bearers, fishermen and domestic servants.	..
37	*Khangar . . . . .	..	Agriculture . . .	1,149
38	Kirar	Cultivators . . .	31,641
39	*Kotwal, Kutwar	Watchmen . . .	8,436
40	Kumar
41	Kumahar कुम्हार	..	Potters	9,940

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42	Kunbi
43	Kurmi
	*Kutwar (S. No. 39) .
44	Lakhera
45	Lodha, Lodhi
	Lodhi (S. No. 45) .
46	Luhar
47	*Lunia, Nunia
48	Mali
	*Mallah (S. No. 10) .
49	*Mewati
50	Mina
51	*Mirdha
	Momin (S. No. 29) .
	Naddaf (S. No. 16) .
52	Nai
53	*Nat
54	Nath
	*Nunia (S. No. 47) .
55	Nut
	Pinjara (S. No. 6) .
56	*Pradhan
	Rangrez (S. No. 11)
57	Rao
58	*Sanoria
59	Sikh Harijans (<i>Vide</i>)
60	Sunar
	Tamboli (S. No. 3) .
61	Teli

Summary of Conclusions and Recommendations

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competition by the mills. The well-being of the communities engaged in handloom weaving depends upon the early rehabilitation of this industry. The following measures are recommended for the resuscitation of this industry:—

1. Clear demarcation of spheres of production exclusively for the handloom should be made with immediate effect. Since the weavers are accustomed to produce varieties of fabrics like *Saris, Dhotis and Lungis*—all these varieties should be exclusively reserved for the handloom industry. The present partial reservation has not helped the industry to any desirable extent.
2. Regular and adequate supply of yarn of required counts and colours at reasonable prices should be ensured to the handloom weavers. (See in this connection Chairman's note on Ambar yarn).
3. All weavers should be brought into the co-operative fold as soon as possible with a view to protecting them from exploitation by middlemen and master weavers.
4. A chain of marketing organizations should be formed throughout the country and possibilities should be thoroughly explored for creation of foreign markets for handloom fabrics.
5. After full protection and patronage to khadi, only handloom products should be purchased by Governments—Central and State—for their requirements.
6. Financial assistance by State should be provided to weavers for the improvement of their looms for increased production.

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Sl. No.	Name of Community	Hindi equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
Throughout the State :—				
1	*Abdal	अब्दाल	Iron shoe fastening . . .	(Not available)
2	*Aghori	अघोरी	Agriculture	Ditto
3	Agrahari Vaishya . . . . .	..	Shop-keepers	Ditto
4	Ahir, Gola, Yadav, Gaura, Goala, Bagal, Ghosi, Gaddi.	..	Cowherds	42,69,103 (Ahir and Goala)
5	*Amat . . . . .	..	Agriculture	72,648
6	Atith, Gosain . . . . .	..	Mendicant	65,843
7	Badahi, Barhi, Barhai, Viswakarma.	..	Carpenter	(Not available)
	Bagal (S. No. 4) . . . . .	..	Cowherds	Ditto
8	Bagdi	बागदी	Fishermen and cultivators.	9,880
9	Bairagi . . . . .	..	Beggars	60,780
10	Barai, Tamboli, Tamoli, Chaurasia.	..	Betel leaf growers . . .	(Not available)
	Barhai (S. No. 7) . . . . .	..	Carpenters	Ditto
	Barhi (S. No. 7) . . . . .	..	Ditto	3,79,710
11	*Bari	बारी	Leaf plate makers . . .	1,64,510
12	Barnwal Bania . . . . .	..	Traders	(Not available)
13	Batham . . . . .	..	Petty traders	Ditto
14	*Bediya, Sopera	बेदिया	Nomadic	1,581
15	*Beldar	बेलदार	Earth workers	1,23,348
16	*Bhangi, Halalkhor, Lalbegi and Mehtar. (Excluding those in S. C.)	भंगी	Sweepers	2,181
17	Bhar	भार	Agriculture	461
18	Bhat	Bards	30,579
19	Bhaskar	भाष्कर	Stone-cutters	(Not available)

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20	*Bhathiara . . .	भटियारा	Inn-keepers, also Ekka drivers.	(Not available)
21	*Bherihar, Gareri, Gadaria	भेड़हर	Shepherd and blanket weavers.	1,26,635 (Bherihar, Gareri)
22	*Bhunji . . . . .	..	Grain-parchers . . .	(Not available)
23	*Bind	बिन्द	Agriculture, fishing, earth work and making salt-petre.	1,84,950
24	*Chain	चाई	Cultivation and fishing.	44,095
25	Chandal, Namasudra . . . . .	..	Agricultural labourers	5,178
26	*Chapota	चपोता	Weavers and labourers	..
	Chaurasia (S. No. 10) . . . . .	..	Betel leaf growers . .	(Not available)
27	*Churihara . . . . .	..	Bangle sellers . . .	Ditto
28	Chik	चीक	Butcher	Ditto
29	Chirmar, Mirshikar . . . . .	..	Fowler	Ditto
30	*Dafali	डफाली	Drum beaters and entertainers.	..
31	Dangi . . . . .	..	..	..
32	Darzi, Idrisi . . . . .	..	Tailoring	50,576
33	Debhar . . . . .	..	..	..
34	*Dhamin	धामिन	Makers of fans or brushes with peacock feathers.	1,902
35	Dhanuk	धानुक	Cultivating caste . .	6,76,243
36	*Dhckaru	धेकारू	Nomadic	376
37	Dhimar	धीमर	Fishermen, domestic servants.	1,417
38	*Dhobi, Hawari. (Excluding those in S. C.)	धोबी	Washermen	75,944
39	*Dhunia, Mansoori, Naddaf	धुनिया	Cotton carder	2,69,855
	*Gadaria (S. No. 21) . . . . .	..	Shepherd and blanket makers.	..
	Gaddi (S. No. 4) . . . . .	..	Cowherds . . . . .	..
40	*Gadheri	गडहरी	Labourers & Mule Keepers	(Not available)
41	Gandharb	गन्धर्व	Musicians . . . . .	..
42	Gangai, Ganesh	गंगई	..	52,475
43	Gangauta, Gangota	गंगौता	Cultivation	78,612
	Gangota (S. No. 43)	गंगोता	Ditto . . . . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
44	Gangwar		Agricultural labour .	(Not available)
	Ganesh (S. No. 42)	गणेश		
	*Gareri (S. No. 21)	गढ़ेरी	Shepherd and blanket weavers.	..
	Ghosi (S. No. 4) . . . . .	..	..	..
	Gaura (S. No. 4) . . . . .	..	Cowherds	73,745
	Goala (S. No. 4) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
	Gola (S. No. 4) . . . . .	..	Ditto	1,129
45	Gorhi	गोहरी	..	..
	Gosain (S. No. 6) . . . . .	..	Mendicant	31,045
46	Gulgulia	गुलगुलिया	Nomadic	589
47	Hajjam, Ibrahimī	हजाम	Barbers	6,09,081
	*Halalkhor (S. No. 16)	हलालखोर	Sweeper . . . . .	..
48	Halwai, Kandu, Kanu . . . . .	..	Sweetmeat Sellers	2,03,532
	*Hawari (S. No. 38) . . . . .	..	Washermen	(Not available)
	Ibrahimī (S. No. 47) . . . . .	..	Barbers	Ditto
	Idrisi (S. No. 32) . . . . .	..	Tailors	Ditto
49	Jadupatia	जादुपतिया	..	57
50	Jat . . . . .	..	..	(Not available)
51	Jaunpuri Bania . . . . .	..	Traders	Ditto
52	Jogi, Jugi . . . . .	..	Mendicant singer	30,307
	Jugi (S. No. 52) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
53	Kadar	कादर	Agriculturers, day labourers and fishermen.	(Not available)
54	*Kaghzi . . . . .	..	Paper makers	Ditto
55	Kahar, Rawani	कहार	Palki bearers and domestic servants.	6,47,481
56	Kaibartta	कैवर्त	Fishermen	1,08,861
57	Kaiserwani, Kasera, Thathera . . . . .	..	Brass utensil makers	38,103
58	Kalandar	कलन्दर	Mendicants	(Not available)
59	Kalwar Bania . . . . .	..	Wine distillers and sellers.	2,33,197
60	Kamar, Lohar, Karamkar . . . . .	..	Blacksmithy	5,37,377 (Kamar and Lohar).

1	2	3	4	5
61	Kamlapuri Vaish Teli . . . . .	..	Oil pressing	(Not available)
	Kandu (S. No. 48) . . . . .	..	Sweetmeat sellers	6,25,678
	Kanu (S. No. 48) . . . . .	..	Ditto	(Not available)
	Karamkar (S. No. 60) . . . . .	..	Blacksmith	Ditto
	Kascra (S. No. 57) . . . . .	..	Brass utensil makers	15,903
62	Kaora	केवरा या कोजरा	Agricultural labourers.	(Not available)
63	*Karaun . . . . .	..	Nomadic	Ditto
64	*Karwal Nut . . . . .	..	Ditto	Ditto
65	Kasodan Bania . . . . .	..	Shop-keepers	Ditto
66	Kasab, Kasai, Qureshi	कसब	Butchers	19,345 (Kasab & Kasai)
	Kasai (S. No. 66)	कसाई	Ditto . . . . .	..
67	Korku	कोरकू	..	(Not available)
68	*Keut, Kewat	क्यट	Fishermen	2,53,147
	Kewat (S. No. 68)	केवट	Ditto . . . . .	..
69	Khangar . . . . .	..	Labourers	(Not available)
70	Khatwe	खतवे	Palanquin bearing and cultivation	1,51,539
71	Kheltas	खेल्टा	Prostitutes	(Not available)
72	Khetauri	खेतीरी	..	33,097
73	Koch	कोच	Agriculture	(Not available)
74	Koeri . . . . .	..	Agriculture and vege- table growing.	Ditto
75	Koranga . . . . .	..	Carpenters	Ditto
76	*Kuchbandhia . . . . .	..	Nomadic	Ditto
77	*Kumbhakar, Kumhar Prajapati. . . . .	..	Potters . . . . .	..
	*Kumhar (S. No. 77) . . . . .	..	Ditto	5,71,058
78	Kunjra, Rayeen . . . . .	..	Vegetable sellers	2,27,112
79	Kurmi, Kurmi Mahto	कुर्मी	Agriculture	6,41,808
	Kurmi Mahto (S. No. 79)	कुर्मी महतो	Ditto . . . . .	..
80	*Lahakar, Laheri . . . . .	..	Lac bangle makers	(Not available)
	*Laheri (S. No. 80) . . . . .	..	Ditto	Ditto
	*Lalbegi (S. No. 16)	लालबेगी	Sweepers . . . . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
81	*Lodha . . . . .	..	Nomadic	559
	Lohar (S. No. 60) . . . . .	..	Blacksmith . . . . .	..
82	*Madari	मदारी	Snake-charmers	(Not available)
83	Mahuriya . . . . .	..	..	Ditto
84	Majhwar	मझवार	..	Ditto
85	Malar, Malhor	मलार	Snake-charmers	Ditto
	Malhor (S. No. 85)	मल्होर	Ditto	Ditto
86	Malhar . . . . .	..	Brass workers	Ditto
87	Malakar, Mali	मालाकार	Gardeners	89,473
87A	Mallah. (Except those in the list of S. C.)	मल्लाह	Fishermen and boatmen.	..
	Mali (S. No. 87)	माली	Gardeners . . . . .	..
88	Magar, Mangar	मगर	Nepali fighting caste engaged as agriculturists.	1,192
	Mangar (S. No. 88)	मंगर	Ditto . . . . .	..
	*Mansoori (S. No. 39) . . . . .	..	Cotton carder . . . . .	..
89	*Markanda	मारकण्डे	Agriculture	(Not available)
90	Mathuiar . . . . .	..	Petty traders	Ditto
91	Maulik	मौलिक	Priests of Bhumij, etc. Also cultivators and collectors of jungle products.	Ditto
92	Mauriari	मुडियारी	..	Ditto
93	Medara	मेदारा	Bamboo workers and mat makers (Telugu)	Ditto
	*Mehtar (S. No. 16)	मेहतर	Sweepers . . . . .	..
94	Miriasin	मिरियासिन	Musicians and singers on auspicious occasions.	(Not available)
	Mirshikar (S. No. 29) . . . . .	..	Fowlers	Ditto
95	Modakmera, Modi, Nichundia Modi.	..	Traders	Ditto
	Modi (S. No. 95) . . . . .	..	Ditto	Ditto
96	Mohani . . . . .	..	Ditto	Ditto
97	Momin . . . . .	..	Weavers	12,15,617 (Jolaha)
98	Mundama . . . . .	..	..	..
	*Naddaf (S.No. 39) . . . . .	..	Cotton carders . . . . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
99	Naiya नईया	Aboriginal priests . .	(Not available)	
	Namasudra (S. N.o 25) . नामसुद्र	Agricultural labourers. .	..	
100	*Nat नट	Nomadic acrobats . .	(Not available)	
	Nichundia Modi (S. No. 95) ..	Traders	Ditto	
101	*Noniya नोनिया	Salt-petre makers and earth workers.	4,66,950	
102	Nalband	Iron shoe fastening . .	(Not available)	
103	Paisari Bania	Traders	Ditto	
104	Pamaria पमरिया	Musicians and entertainers.	Ditto	
105	Pando पण्ड	..	Ditto	
106	Pargha	Cultivators and labour hand loom reed makers.	Ditto	
107	Pangania पंगनिया	..	Ditto	
108	Patwa Bania	Traders	Ditto	
109	Polia, Rajbansi, Resiya . .	Domestic servants . .	Ditto	
	*Prajapati (S. No. 77) . .	Potters	Ditto	
	Qureshi (S. No. 66) . .	Butchers	Ditto	
	Rajbanshi (S. No. 109) . .	Domestic servants . .	90,897	
110	Rangrez	Dyers and printers . .	(Not available)	
111	Rautia	Cultivation	Ditto	
	Rawani (S. No. 55) . .	Palki-bearers and domestic servants.	Ditto	
	Rayeen (S. No. 78) . .	Vegetable sellers . .	Ditto	
	Resiya (S. No. 109) . .	Domestic servants . .	Ditto	
112	Runiar Bania	Traders	Ditto	
113	Sain	Religious mendicants . .	Ditto	
114	Sanyasi	Religious beggars . .	22,290	
	*Sapera (S. No. 14) . .	Nomadic	(Not available)	
115	Sarbaria	Labourers	Ditto	
116	Saunta, Sauta . . सौंता	Ditto	Ditto	
	Sauta (S. No. 116) . . साउत	Ditto	Ditto	
117	Sheikhras शेखरा	
118	Sikh Harijans (<i>Vide</i> Note)	

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119	Sonar, Swarnakar	Goldsmith	2,56,106
	Swarnakar (S. No. 119)	Ditto	
120	Sukiar	19,287
121	Sundi . . . . .	..	Traders	(Not available)
122	Surhi Bania . . . . .	..	Ditto	Ditto
	Tamboli (S. No. 10) . . . . .	..	Betel leaf growers	44,960
	Tamoli (S. No. 10) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
	Thathera (S. No. 57) . . . . .	..	Brass utensil makers	32,621
123	*Tiar	तियर	Fishermen	61,748
124	Turha	तुरहा	Agriculture	1,03,985
125	Teli . . . . .	..	Oilmen	11,13,937
126	*Tikulhara	Beggars	(Not available)
	Vishwakarma (S. No. 7)	Carpenters	Ditto
	Yadav (S. No. 4)	Cowherds	Ditto

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List of Other Backward Classes as recommended by the Backward Classes Commission

(NOTE.—* Indicates Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of the community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1		3	4	5
1	*Agasa	अगस	Washermen of Lingayat community.	(Not available)
2	*Agri	आग्री	Salt makers . . .	3,68,360
3	Ahir, Ahir Sonar . . .	अहीर	Cowherds, husbandmen	84,203
	Ahir Sonar (S. No. 3)	अहीर सोनार	Goldsmith . . .	(Not available)
4	Akkasalig Sonar . . .		Ditto	2,62,389
5	Alitkar	अलितकर	Tanners and traders .	(Not available)
6	*Alkari	अलकारी	Prepare red dye from the root of ALTA plant.	Ditto
7	*Ambigaru	अम्बीगारू	Engaged in plying ferries.	Ditto
8	Arcer	आरेर	..	Ditto
9	Atari	अतारी	Perfumers	Ditto
10	*Atte Vakkal	अट्टे वक्कल	Wood-ash cultivation and cane planting.	Ditto
11	Babria	बाबरिआ	Land holders . . .	Ditto
12	Badani	बदाणी	..	Ditto
13	Badhai	बढाई	Carpenters	Ditto
14	Badgi	बडगी	Kanarese term for Sutar.	Ditto
15	Badgujar	बडगुजर	Cotton spinning, Engaged in agricultural and manual labour.	Ditto
16	*Bagadi	बागडी	Blanket weaving . . .	Ditto
17	Bagri	बाग्री	Begging	Ditto
	Gujarat Baori
	Marwar Baori
	Marwar Waghri
	Salat Waghri

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18	*Bahurupi	बहुरूपी	Strolling actors . . .	157
19	Bairagi, Bava, Gosavi, Gosai	बैरागी	Religious mendicants .	(Not available)
20	*Bajenia	बजाणिया	Drummers . . .	8,982
21	Bajir	बाजीर	..	(Not available)
22	*Balsantoshi	बाल संतोषी	Religious beggars .	51
23	Bandekar, Komti, Kudale. Maratha Vani, Pednekar . Sangameshwari, Narwekar Patne	बांदेकर	Traders . . .	(Not available)
24	Bandhara	बंधारा	Dyeing cloth . . .	(Not available)
25	Bandi	बान्दी	Prostitutes and domestic servants.	Ditto
26	*Battal	बट्टाल	Basket makers . . .	Ditto
27	Barcha	बारचा	..	Ditto
28	Bari	बारी	Grow betel leaves and sell.	Ditto
29	Baria, Koli Baria . . .	बारीआ	Agriculturists . . .	1,47,811
30	*Barker . . . .	..	Agriculturists and domestic servants.	(Not available)
31	Barmera	बारमेरा	..	Ditto
	Bava (S. No. 19) . . .	बावा	Religious mendicants .	71,926
32	*Bazigar	बाझीगर	Wandering Acrobats .	(Not available)
33	*Bedar, Berad, Naikmak-kalu. Naikwadi, Nayakaru . Talvar, Valmiki . . .	बेडर	Cultivators, labourers, servants. Dacoits, village	2,92,897
34	*Beldar	बेलदार	Earth workers and stone workers.	16,358
	*Berad (S. No. 33) . . .	बेरड	Theft and robbery . .	(Not available)
35	Beria	बेरिया	Thieves, beggars, counterfeiters.	Ditto
	Chhara, Dasa
	Gujarathi Kolhati
	Kanjar Bhat
	Kanjari, Kanjar
	Sansia

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36	Bestar . . .	बेस्तर	Fishermen . . .	(Not available)
37	Bhadbhunja . . .	भडभुंजा	Gram frying . . .	584
38	Bhagia . . .	भगीया	..	(Not available)
39	Bhaitia . . .	भाटीया	..	Ditto
40	Bhal . . .	भाल	..	Ditto
41	*Bhalya . . .	..	Beating of drums	Ditto
42	*Bhampta . . .	भामटा	Pick-pockets & thieves	Ditto
	Bhampta (Rajput) . . .	..	..	..
	Dong-Dasar . . .	..	..	..
	Ghantichor, Uchlia . . .	..	..	..
	Bhampta (Rajput) (S. No. 42).	भामटा (राजपूत)	Pilferers . . .	3,75*
43	*Bhand . . .	भांड	Actors & mine workers	(Not available)
44	Bhandari, Bhandara (in Gujarat).	भंडारी	Palm-juice drawing and distilling.	377
	Bhandara (in Gujarat) (S. No. 44).	भंडारा (गुजरात में)	Ditto . . .	(Not available)
45	Bharadi . . .	भराडी	Begging. Dancing . . .	6,085
46	Bharwad, Rabari . . .	भरवाड	Shepherds . . .	13,52,775
47	Bhat . . .	भाट	Professional geneologists	33,263
48	*Bhavaiya, Targala . . .	भावैय्या	Perform religious dramas.	1,850
49	Bhavin . . .	भाविण	Prostitutes, temple servants and actors.	3,498
50	Bhavsar . . .	भावसार	Calico printing and dyeing.	32,062
51	*Bhisti, Pakhali . . .	भिस्ती	Water carriers . . .	144
52	*Bhoi . . .	भोई	Fishermen, Boatmen, Litter-bearers.	96,836
53	Bhuk . . .	भुक	..	(Not available)
54	Bhupar . . .	भुपार	..	Ditto
55	*Bhute . . .	भुते	Beggars . . .	173
56	Bikak . . .	बिकाक	..	(Not available)
57	Bilas Naik	Ditto
58	*Binjara, Vanjari, Vanjara	बिजारा	Agriculturists . . .	Ditto

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59	Bogari	बुगरी	Glass bangle sellers .	(Not available)
60	*Budbudki	बुडबुडकि	Wandering fortune tellers.	Ditto
61	*Bugri	बुगरी	Toy makers	Ditto
62	Bukkitgar . . . .	..	..	Ditto
63	*Burud, Medar	बुरूड	Mat & basket makers	17,826
64	*Chamadia	चामडिया	Tanning & leather workers	(Not available)
65	*Chamtha	चामठा	Grindstone sellers .	Ditto
66	*Chandlagara	चंडलगार	Leather workers .	Ditto
67	*Chapparband	छप्परबन्द	Thatch Makers, coiners	2,024
68	Charan, Gadhavi	चारण	Graziers, bards and cultivators.	19,104
69	Charodi	चारोडी	..	(Not available)
	*Chhara (S. No. 35)	छारा	Thieves, Beggars, counterfeiters.	276
70	Chaturth	चतुर्थ.	..	(Not available)
71	Chaukalshi	चौकलशी	..	Ditto
72	Chigari Betegar	चिगरी बेटेगार	Hunters	Ditto
73	Chippa (in Gujarat)	छीपा (गुजरात में)	Printing cloth	Ditto
74	*Chitrakathi	चित्रकथी	Picture showmen and beggars.	772
75	*Chunari, Lonari	चुनारी	Keep asses. Deal with kiln of chuna.	(Not available)
76	*Dabagar	डबगर	Tanners	1,369
77	Darji, Shimpi	दर्जी	Tailors	1,90,295
	*Dasa (S. No. 35)	दास	Wandering religious beggars.	34
78	*Davari, Davari Nath Panthi.	Gosavi, डवरी	Wandering fortune tellers	(Not available)
	*Davari Gosavi (S. No. 78)	डवरी गोसावी	..	Ditto
79	Dépala	देपाला	Domestic servants and petty traders.	Ditto
80	Devali	देवली	Prostitutes, temple servants.	(Not available)

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81	Devdig	देवदिग	Musicians . . .	(Not available)
82	Dhangar, Kurbar . .	धनगर	Cattle-keeping, cultivation, forest labour, sheep rearing.	2,92,897
83	Dharala, Patanwadia . . . .	..	..	(Not available)
84	*Dhavadi . . . .	..	Iron smelters . . .	Ditto
85	*Dhebra . . . .	..	Fishing, sea ferrying .	1,50,803.
	Dhimar, Dhivar . . . .	..	..	..
	Gabit, Harkantra, . . . .	..	..	..
	Mangeli, Mangela, . . . .	..	..	..
	Page, Sankuri . . . .	..	..	..
	*Dhimar (S. No. 85)	धीमर	..	(Not available)
	*Dhivar (S. No. 85) . .	धीवर	..	13,830.
86	Dhobi, Parit	धोबी	Washermen . . .	1,11,967
87	Dhoki	धोकी	Iron smelters . . .	(Not available)
88	Dholi	ढोली	Drummers . . .	Ditto
89	Dhukkar	धुक्कर	..	Ditto
90	*Dombari	डोम्बारी	Labourers . . .	Ditto
	*Dong-Dasar (S. No. 42)	डोंग-दासर	Thieves . . .	Ditto
91	Durgamurogeru . . . .	..	..	Ditto
92	Elmar	एल्मार	Agricultural labour .	Ditto
93	*Futgudi	फुटगुडी	..	..
	*Gabit (S. No. 85) . .	गाबीत	Fishing, sea ferrying .	Ditto
	Gadhavi (S. No. 68)	..	Graziers, bards and cultivators.	Ditto
94	Gahelra	गहेलरा	..	(Not available)
95	*Gam Vakkal . . . .	..	Cultivators . . .	Ditto
96	Gandharap	गंध्रप	Musicians . . .	879.
97	Ganiga, Ghanchi, Teli .	गासिग	Oil pressing . . .	(Not available)
98	*Garasia (in Gujarat)	गरासिया (गुजरात में)	Cultivators . . .	Ditto
99	*Garudi, Modikar . .	गारूडी	Snake charmers, beggars.	8,215.
100	Gavada, Gavdi	गावडा	Cultivators . . .	(Not available)
	Gavdi (S. No. 100) . .	गावडी	Ditto	Ditto

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101	Gavandhi	गवंडी	Masons	(Not available)
102	Gavli	गवली	Milkmen	Ditto
103	Gend	गेंड	..	Ditto
104	*Ghadi	घाडी	Sooth-sayers	Ditto
105	Ghadshi	घडशी	Musicians	Ditto
	Ghanchi (S. No. 97)	घांची	Oil pressing	30,947
106	Ghandaria	घांडरिया	..	(Not available)
	*Ghantichor (S. No. 42)	घंटीचोर	Pick-pockets and thieves.	Ditto
107	Gharuk	घारुक	..	Ditto
108	Gharwali	गढवाली	..	Ditto
109	*Ghisadi	घिसाडी	Wandering blacksmiths	5,205
110	Gir	गिर	..	(Not available)
111	*Girni-Waddar	गिरणी वडुर	..	Ditto
112	Golla, Gol	गोल्ल	Medicine sellers and cowherds.	11,714
	Gol (S. No. 112)	गोल	Ditto	(Not available)
113	Golarana . . . .	..	Rice pounders	8,844
114	*Gondhali	गोंधली	Religious minstrels	8,300
115	Gongadikar	गोंगडीकार	Cultivators	(Not available)
116	Gopal	गोपाल	Cultivators, blanket makers, beggars.	7,618
	Gosavi (S. No. 19)	गोसावी	Religious mendicants	(Not available)
	Gosai (S. No. 19)	गोसाई	Ditto	Ditto
117	*Gudigar	गुडिगर	Sandalwood carvers	Ditto
	*Gujarat-Baori (S. No. 17)	गुजरात बावरी	Begging	Ditto
118	Gujar Kadia, Kadia (in Gujarat).	गुजर कडिया गुजरात में	Masons	833
	*Gujarati No. 35).	Kolhati (S. गुजराती कोल्हाटी	Thieves, Beggars	(Not available)
119	Gunagi	Ditto
120	Gurav	गुरव	Temple minstrels	118

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121	Gurira	गुरिरा	..	(Not available)
122	Habbu	हब्बु	..	Ditto
123	Hajam, Kalseru Navaliga, Kelashi, Nabhiik, Nai, Nhavi.	हजाम	Barber	7,029
124	Halepaik	हलेपैक	Agriculture	(Not available)
125	Halvakkii Vakkal . . . . .	..	Husbandmen and lab- ourers.	31,405
126	Hanbar	हणबर	Cattle graziers	(Not available)
127	*Haranshikari	हरणशिकारी	Hunters	Ditto
128	*Haridas (in East Khan- desh).	हरिदास (पूर्व खानदेश में)	Cattle breeders	Ditto
129	Harikalyan	हरिकल्याण	..	Ditto
	*Harkantra (S. No. 85)	हरकांत्रा	Fishing and palanquin bearers.	Ditto
130	*Hati . . . . .	..	Labourers	Ditto
131	*Helav	हेलव	Religious beggars and prostitutes.	Ditto
132	Higer	हिगेर	..	Ditto
133	*Hiragar, Sargara . . . . .	..	Agriculture and manual labourers.	Ditto
134	*Holar, Valhar . . . . .	..	Musicians	77
135	Ilgar . . . . .	..	Palm tappers	(Not available)
136	Jaga	जगा	..	Ditto
137	Jagara	जगरिया	..	Ditto
138	*Jagiasi (from Sind)	जग्यासी (सिन्ध की)	Religious beggars	Ditto
139	Jajak (from Sind)	जाजक (सिन्ध की)	Priests	Ditto
140	Jajri	जाजरी	..	Ditto
141	Jakhria Jakreja	जखरीया जाकरेजा	..	Ditto
142	Jat	जाट	Cultivators	228
143	*Jatia	जातिया	Tanners	(Not available)

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144	*Jatigar	जातिगार	Strolling actors . .	(Not available)
145	*Javeri, Johari	जवेरी	Bead sellers, labourers	303
146	*Jingar	जिनगर	Saddle makers . .	(Not available)
147	*Jogi	जोगी	Beggars and black stone vessel makers.	2,701
148	Jogin	जोगीण	..	(Not available)
149	*Jogtin	जोगतीण	Religious beggars .	Ditto
	*Johari (S. No. 145)	जोहारी	Bead sellers, labourers	Ditto
150	Joshi	जोशी	Wandering fortune tellers.	11,281
151	*Kabbaligar	कब्बलीगार	Fishing, Ferrying, palanquin bearing.	(Not available)
152	Kachari	काचारी	Glass bangle makers .	Ditto
153	Kachhia, Kachi	कछिया	Fruit sellers and traders.	11,600
	Kachi (S. No. 153)	काची	Ditto . .	(Not available)
	Kadia (in Gujarat) (S. No. 118).	कडिया (गुजरात में)	Masons	2,772
154	*Kahar	कहार	Domestic servants .	2,779
155	*Kaikadi, Pamlor	कैकाडी	Basket makers, thieves, prostitutes.	14,898
156	Kalal	कलाल	Distillers	2,263
157	*Kalavant	कलावंत	Dancers and singers .	(Not available)
158	*Kali-waddar	कल्ल वड्डर	Agriculture	Ditto
	Kalseru Navaliga (S. No. 123).	..	Barbers	
159	*Kamli	कामली	Husbandmen	118
160	*Kamati	कामाटी	Labourers	15,607
161	Kammar	कम्मर	Blacksmiths	1,55,125
162	Kammi	कम्मी	..	(Not available)
163	*Kanada	कानडा	..	Ditto
164	Kanuh	कनुह	Wandering beggars .	Ditto
165	Kanbi (except Lova Kanbi other- wise styled as Patidar of the Kaira Distt. and the North and South Daskroi talukas of the Ahmedabad Distt.)	कराणी	Cultivators	12,95,707

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166	Kanchagar	(Not available)
	*Kanjari (S. No. 35)	कंजारी	Beggars, thieves	Ditto
	*Kanjari (S. No. 35)	कंजर	Ditto	Ditto
	*Kanjari Bhat (S. No. 35)	कंजार भाट	Ditto	Ditto
167	Kansara	कंसारा	Coppersmiths	3,074
168	Kapdi	कापडी	Religious beggars and cultivators.	(Not available)
169	*Kare Vakkal . . . . .	..	Husbandmen, field workers.	Ditto
170	Karia	कारीया	..	Ditto
171	Karnatak-Vishwa man, Panchal.	Brah- कर्नाटक- विश्व-ब्राह्मण	Copper and brass smiths, gold and silver-smiths, carpenters and stone dressers.	Ditto
172	Karvi . . . . .	..	..	Ditto
173	Kasia . . . . .	..	..	Ditto
174	*Kasar	कासार	Brass and coppersmiths.	Ditto
175	*Kashikapdi, Tirmali	काशीकापडी	Beggars	Ditto
176	*Katabu, Killiket	कटबु	Perform lantern shows	Ditto
177	*Katari	कातारी	Wood carvers	Ditto
178	Kathi	काठी	Cultivators, land-holders.	5,021
	Kelashi (S. No. 123)	केलासी	Barber	(Not available)
179	Kharadi	खराडी	Tuners, ornamental wood workers.	Ditto
180	*Kharak	खराक	Carrying grain on donkeys.	Ditto
181	*Kharur, Kharwa	खरुर	Sailing country craft	Ditto
	*Kharwa (S. No. 181)	खारावा	Ditto	53,917
182	Khatti	खत्री	Weavers and cultivators.	7,607
183	Khati (from Sind)	खाती सिंधसे	..	(Not available)
184	Khavas	खवास	Domestic servants	5,104
185	*Khekkari, Kolhati	खेलकरी	Tublers and beggars	(Not available)
186	Khetri	खेत्री	Husbandmen	Ditto
	*Killiket (S. No. 176)	किल्लीकेत	Perform lantern shows	Ditto

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187	Kirad	किराड	Petty traders . . .	(Not available)
	Kolhati (S. No. 185)	कोल्हाटी	Tyblers, Beggars. <i>Prostitute</i>	5,232
188	*Koli	कोली	Fishermen . . .	24,00,560
	Koli Bariya (S. No. 29)	कोली बारीया	Agriculturists . . .	(Not available)
189	*Koli Malhar . . .	कोली मल्हार	Fishermen and labourers	73,670
90	*Ko li (Son) . . .	कोली (सोन)	Fishermen . . .	(Not available)
191	Koli Suryavanshi . .	कोली सूर्यवंशी	..	Ditto
192	Komarpaik	कोमारपेक	Soldiers	Ditto
193	Komarpantha . . .	कोमारपंथ	..	Ditto
	Komti (S. No. 23)	कोमटी	Traders	15,607
194	*Kongadi	कोंगाडी	..	(Not available)
195	*Korcha	कोरचा	Basket makers, thieves, prostitutes.	Ditto
196	Kori (from Sind) . .	कोरी	..	Ditto
197	*Korva	कोरव	Hunters, fortune tel- lers, cattle traders, carriers.	Ditto
198	Korvanji	कोरवंजी	..	Ditto
199	Koshti	कोष्टी	Weavers	1,43,996
200	Kot	कोट	..	(Not available)
201	*Kotwal, Kotwalia . .	कोटवाल	Cultivators and weavers	Ditto
	*Kotwalia (S. No. 201)	कोटवालिया	Ditto	5,236
202	Kuccharia (from Sind)	कुचडिया	..	(Not available)
	Kudale (S. No. 23)	कुडाले	Traders	Ditto
203	Kudavakkal	कुडवकल	Husbandmen . . .	Ditto
204	Kulama	कुलमा	Ditto	Ditto
205	*Kumbhar	कुम्भार	Potters	3,16,254
206	Kunbi Tillori (in the Rat- nagiri and Kolaba Distts.)	कुणबी तिल्लोरी (रत्नागिरी और कोलाबा जिले में)	Cultivators and domes- tic servants.	(Not available)

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207	*Kunchavakkal	कुंचावक्कल	Wandering tribe of buffalo breeders.	(Not available)
208	*Kunchi Korava	कुंचीकोरव	Makers of weavers' brushes.	Ditto
209	Kurmi	कुरमी	..	Ditto
	Kurbar (S. No. 82) . . . . .	..	Sheep rearing, cattle keeping, cultivation.	Ditto
210	Kuruba	कुरुबा	Shepherds	Ditto
211	Lad, Lad Sonar	लाड	Husbandmen, grain merchants.	11,045
	Lad Sonar (S. No. 211)	लाड सोनार	Goldsmiths	(Not available)
212	Lakheri	लाखेरी	Makers of lac bangles	Ditto
213	Lakshmir	लक्ष्मीर	..	Ditto
214	*Lamani, Lambada	लमानी	Carriers and cultivators	69,290
	*Lambada (S. No. 214)	लम्बाडा	Ditto	(Not available)
215	Larai	लाराई	..	Ditto
216	Lodha	लोधा	Thatchers, cart drivers, money-lenders.	Ditto
217	Lohar	लोहार	Ironsmiths	1,54,994
218	*Lok	लोक	Cattle breeding and agriculture.	(Not available)
	*Lonari (S. No. 75) . . . . .	..	Keep asses. Deal with skin of chuna.	Ditto
219	Lubana . . . . .	..	..	Ditto
220	Luhar (In Gujarat)	लुहार	Ironsmiths	Ditto
221	Lund	लुंड	..	Ditto
222	Machhi, Tandel	माछी	Fishermen	72,930
223	Machula	मचुला	..	(Not available)
224	Mahajir	महाजीर	..	Ditto
225	Mahia	महिया	Agricultural labourers, servants.	Ditto
226	Mahind	महिंद	..	Ditto
227	Makhar	मखार	..	Ditto
228	*Mairal	मैराल	Religious ministrants	27
229	Mangria	मांगरिया	..	(Not available)
230	Mali	माली	Gardeners, husbandmen.	5,01,765

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231	*Manbhav . . .	मानभाव	Beggars . . .	3,137
	*Mangela (S. No. 85)	मांगेला	Fishermen and coastal traders.	(Not available)
	Mangeli (S. No. 85).	मांगेली	Ditto . . .	Ditto
	Maratha Vani (S. No. 23)	मराठा वाणी	Traders . . .	Ditto
232	Marich . . .	मारीच	..	Ditto
	*Marwar Baori (S. No. 17)	मारवाडबावरी	Beggars . . .	Ditto
	*Marwar Waghri (S. No. 17).	मारवाडवाघरी	Ditto . . .	Ditto
233	*Mc . . .	मे	Weavers of leaf mats .	Ditto
	*Medar (S. No. 63)	..	Mat and basket makers	Ditto
234	*Mer . . .	मेर	Feudal militia . . .	Ditto
235	Mina . . .	मीना	Agriculturists . . .	Ditto
236	Mochi (in Gujarat) .	मोची (गुजरात में)	Leather workers .	7,962
	*Modikar (S. No. 99)	मोडिकार	Snake charmers, beggars.	(Not available)
237	*Moger . . .	मोगेर	Fishermen . . .	Ditto
238	Moranjhiria . . .	मोरंझिरिया	..	Ditto
239	Munnoorwar, Munnoorkapu.	मुनर वार	..	Ditto
	Munnoorkapu (S. No. 239)	..	..	Ditto
240	*Murli Vaghya . . .	मुरली वाघया	Prostitutes and beggars	Ditto
241	Nabha . . .	नाभा	..	(Not available)
	Nabhik (S. No. 123)	नाभीक	Barbers . . .	Ditto
242	Nador . . .	नाडोर	Agriculturists . . .	Ditto
243	Naghorl . . .	नाघोरी	Cart drivers . . .	Ditto
	Nai (S. No. 123)	नाई	Barbers . . .	2,48,615
	*Naikmakkalu (S. No. 33)	नायकमक्कलु	Cultivators . . .	(Not available)
	*Naikwadi (S. No. 33)	नायकवाडी	Ditto . . .	Ditto

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244	Namdhari, Namdhari Paik Namdhari Paik (S. No. 244)	नामधारी नामधारी पैक	Tappers of cocoanut tree. Ditto . . .	(Not available) Ditto
245	*Nandiwale . . .	नंदीवाले	Wandering religious beggars.	Ditto
246	Nanga . . .	नांगा	..	Ditto
247	Nangar . . .	नांगर	..	Ditto
248	Nangraj . . .	नांगराज	..	Ditto
	Narwekar (S. No. 23)	नारवेकर	Traders . . .	Ditto
249	*Nat . . .	नट	Acrobats and tumblers	Ditto
250	Nath . . .	नाथ	Ditto . . .	Ditto
	Nath Panthi (S. No. 78)	नाथपंथी	Beggars . . .	Ditto
	*Nayakaru (S. No. 33)	नायकारू	Cultivators, village servants.	Ditto
251	Nayer . . .	नायर	Husbandmen . . .	Ditto
	Nhavi (S. No. 123)	न्हावी	Barbers . . .	Ditto
252	*Nilara . . .	निलारा	Indigo dyers . . .	Ditto
253	Nilgar . . .	..	Ditto . . .	Ditto
254	Nirshikari . . .	नीरशिकारी	..	Ditto
255	*Od . . .	ओड	Earth workers . . .	1,45,445
256	Oshthama . . .	ओश्टामा	..	(Not available)
257	Otari . . .	ओतारी	Metel casters . . .	Ditto
258	Padamsali, Sali . . .	पदमसाली	Weavers . . .	1,07,460
259	*Padharia . . .	पधारिया	Grass cutters and sellers	(Not available)
260	Padiar . . .	पडियार	Prostitutes . . .	Ditto
261	*Padti . . .	पडती	Cultivators . . .	Ditto
	*Page (S. No. 85)	..	Fishing, Sea Ferrying .	Ditto
262	*Pagi (In Karwar), Thakarda.	पगी (कारवार में)	Night watchmen .	1
	*Pakhali (S. No. 51)	पखाली	Water bearer . . .	(Not available)
	*Pamlor (S. No. 155)	पामलोर	Basket makers, thieves, prostitutes.	Ditto
	Panchal (S. No. 171)	पांचाल	Copper and brass-smiths, gold and silver smiths, carpenters and stone-dressers.	84,237

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263	Panchkalashi . . .	पांचकलशी	Carpenters and arti- sans.	33,009
264	Pancholi . . .	पांचोली	Cultivators . . .	(Not available)
265	*Pangul . . .	पांगुल	Religious beggars . .	141
266	Panura . . .	पनुरा	..	(Not available)
267	Pardeshi Bhampta . .	परदेशी भामटा	..	Ditto
268	Pardeshi Thakur . .	परदेशी ठाकुर	..	1,013
	Parit (S. No. 86) . .	परीट	Washermen . .	(Not available)
269	Parkha . . .	परखा	..	Ditto
	*Patanwadia (S. No. 83)	पाटणवाडिया	..	29,596
270	Pategar . . .	पटेगार	..	(Not available)
271	*Patharvat . . .	पाथरवट	Stone cutters . . .	3,709
272	*Pathrut . . .	पाथरूट	..	(Not available)
	Patne (S. No. 23) . .	पटणे	Traders . . .	Ditto
273	Patradavaru . . .	..	Prostitutes . . .	Ditto
274	Patvekar . . .	पटवेकर	Silk broid makers . .	Ditto
275	Pavaiya . . .	पवैया	Beggars . . .	Ditto
	Pednekar (S. No. 23)	पेडणेकर	Traders . . .	Ditto
276	*Pendhari . . .	पेंडारी	Petty traders and day labourers.	Ditto
277	*Phasechari . . .	फासेचारी	..	Ditto
278	*Phudgi . . .	फुडगी	Labourers . . .	Ditto
279	*Pinjara, Pinjari . .	पिंजारा	Cotton cleaners . .	40,466
	Pinjari (S. No. 279)	पिंजारी	Ditto . . .	(Not available)
280	Piraj Pota . . .	पिरज पोटा	..	Ditto
281	Quraish . . .	..	Butchers . . .	Ditto
	Rabari (S. No. 46) . .	रबारी	Cattle rearing . .	Ditto
282	*Rachevar . . .	राचिवर	Acrobats and tumblers	Ditto
283	Raddi . . .	रड्डी	Husbandmen, landlords and cultivators.	50,484

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303 Satarkar . . .	सतारकर	Husbandmen . . .	(Not available)
304 Sherogar . . .	सेरोगार	Agriculturists, Manual labourers.	Ditto
305 *Shikari . . .	शिकारी	Scavengers and basket makers.	Ditto
306 *Shikkaligar . . .	शिककलिगार	Knife grinders, beggars	2,356
Shimpi (S. No. 77) . . .	शिंपी	Tailors . . .	(Not available)
307 Siddi . . .	सिद्दी	Labourers . . .	Ditto
308 Siyal . . .	सियाल	..	(Not available)
309 Solangi . . .	सोलंगी	..	Ditto
310 *Sudgadsidda . . .	सुडगाडसि	..	Ditto
311 Suleru . . .	सुलेरू	Prostitutes . . .	Ditto
312 Sunagar . . .	..	Fishing, ferrying and palanquin bearing.	Ditto
313 *Suppalig . . .	सप्पलिग	Musicians . . .	Ditto
314 Sutar, Suthar . . .	सुतार	Carpenters . . .	2,59,838
Suthar (S. No. 314) . . .	सुथार	Ditto . . .	..
315 Suthria (from Sind) . . .	सुथ्रिया (सिंधकी)	Mendicants . . .	(Not available)
316 *Suwar . . .	सुवार	Water carriers . . .	Ditto
317 *Takari . . .	टकारी	Pick-pockets and thieves	687
318 *Takankar . . .	टकणकार	..	(Not available)
*Talvar including Kanade Talvar (S. No. 33). . .	तलवार (कानडे तलवार समेत)	Cultivators, labourers	Ditto
319 Tambat . . .	तांबट	Coppersmiths . . .	Ditto
320 Tamboli . . .	तांबोली	Betel leaf grower and seller.	762
Tandel (S. No. 222) . . .	तांडेल	Fishermen . . .	(Not available)
*Targala (S. No. 48) . . .	..	Perform religious dramas	6,982
321 *Taru . . .	तारू	Ferrying . . .	(Not available)
322 Tapodhan Brahmin . . .	तपोधन ब्राह्मण	Temple ministrants . . .	8,646
323 Tavate . . .	तवाटे	Goldsmiths . . .	(Not available)
324 Telegu Banjig . . .	तेलगु बणजिग	..	Ditto
325 Telegu Mudiraj . . .	तेलगु मुदिराज	..	Ditto

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326	Telegu Munnoorwar Teli (S. No. 97)	तेलुगु मुनूरवार तेली	Labourers	(Not available)
327	Thakar	ठाकर	Showmen, beggar, cul- tivators, labourers.	29,552
	*Thakarda (S. No. 262)	ठाकरडा	..	2,70,904
328	Thakurhar	ठाकुरहर	..	(Not available)
329	*Thori	थोरी	Wooden Bedsteads sellers.	80
330	Tigala	टिगाला	Agriculturists	(Not available)
331	Timaliya	टिमालिया	Smiths	Ditto
332	Tirgar	तिर्गर	Husbandmen	Ditto
333	Tirguli	तिर्गुली	..	Ditto
	*Tirmali (S. No. 175)	तिर्माली	Beggars	Ditto
334	*Tudug-Waddar	तुडुग-वडुर	Thieves	Ditto
	*Uchlia (S. No. 42)	उचल्या	Pick-pockets and thieves.	Ditto
335	Udasi	उदासी	..	Ditto
336	Ulra	उलरा	..	Ditto
337	*Uppar	उप्पार	Salt makers	Ditto
338	*Vaddar	वडुर	Earth workers	Ditto
339	*Vadi	वादी	Snake charmers and jugglers.	3,251
340	*Vagher	वाघेर	Cultivators	7,371
341	*Vaghri	वाघरी	Hunters, fowlers, cul- tivators.	1,44,173
342	*Vaidu	वेदू	Medicine sellers, phy- sicians and beggars.	1,897
343	Vaishya Thakur	वैश्य ठाकुर	..	(Not available)
344	*Vaiti	वैती	Fishermen, cultivators	Ditto
345	Vajantri	वाजंत्री	Indian band	Ditto
346	Vakkal (in Kanara Distt.)	वक्कल (कनाडा जिले में)	..	Ditto
	*Valhar (S. No. 134)	वल्हेर	Musicians	367
	*Valmiki (S. No. 33)	वाल्मीकि	Cultivators, labourers	(Not available)
	*Vanjara (S. No. 58)	वंजारा	Agriculturists	2,05,433
	*Vanjari (S. No. 58)	वंजारी	Ditto	(Not available)
347	Vankar Khatri	..	Handloom weavers	7,607

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348	Vanza	वांझा	Weavers	1,959
349	*Vasudev	वासुदेव	Religious beggars . .	87
350	Vidur	विदुर	..	(Not available)
351	*Vir	वीर	Beggars	Ditto
352	Wadari	वडारी	..	Ditto
353	*Waghri Pardhi . .	वाघरी पारधी	..	Ditto
354	Wanham	वन्हाम	..	Ditto
355	*Wansfoda	वांसफोडा	Basket makers	946
356	Yaklar	यकलार	Cultivators	(Not available)
	Zalawadi (S. No. 294) . .	..	Tailoring and carpentry	Ditto
357	*Zharekari	झारेकरी	Goldsmiths, dust and refuge washers and cleaners.	Ditto
358	Sikhs (<i>Vide note</i>) . .	सिख (नोट के अनुसार)	..	..
359	Arain, Kunjra, Rayec .	अराई, कुंजड़ा, राई	Fruit and vegetable sellers.	(Not available)
	Bhandi Waddar (S. No. 338)	भंडी वडुर	Earth workers	Ditto
	Dandi Dasa (S. No. 35) .	डांडी दास	Mendicants and beg- gars.	Ditto
	Dhunia (S. No. 279) . .	धुनिया	Cotton carders	Ditto
	Ghatti Waddar (S. No. 338).	घट्टी वडुर	Earth workers	Ditto
360	Julaha, Momin	जुलाहा, मोमिन	Weavers	Ditto
	Kassab (S. No. 281) . .	कसब	Butchers	Ditto
	Kasai (S. No. 281) . .	कसाई	Ditto	9,720
	Kunjra (S. No. 359) . .	कुंजड़ा	Fruit and vegetable sellers.	(Not available)
	Kharwi (S. No. 181) . .	खारवी	Sailors of country craft.	Ditto
	Laddaf (S. No. 279) . .	लदाफ	Cotton-cleaners	Ditto
	Lad Vanjari (S. No. 58) .	लाडवंजारी	Pack-carriers	Ditto
	Mann Waddar (S. No. 338)	मन्न वडुर	Earth workers	Ditto
	Matti Waddar (S. No. 338)	मट्टी-वडुर	Ditto	Ditto
	Maratha Kolhati (S. No. 185).	मरहठा- कोल्हाटी	Ditto	Ditto
	Mitha (S. No. 236) . .	मिथा	Leather workers . .	Ditto

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Momin (S. No. 360)	मोमिन	Weavers . . .	58,073	
Naddaf (S. No. 279)	नद्दाफ	Cotton cleaners . .	(Not available)	
Pardeshi Bhoi (S. No. 52)	परदेशी भोई	Fishermen, boatmen and palanquin bear- ers.	Ditto	
Raj Bhoi (S. No. 52)	राज भोई	Ditto . .	Ditto	
Rajput Lamani (S. No. 214)	राजपूत लमाणी	Pack-carriers . .	Ditto	
Rajput Vanjari (S. No. 58)	राजपूत वणजारी	Ditto . .	Ditto	
Rayee (S. No. 359) .	राई	Fruit and vegetable sellers.	Ditto	
Shilavat (S. No. 271)	शिलावट	Stone-dressers . .	Ditto	



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Sl. No.	Name of community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Amma Kodaga . . .	..	Agriculturists . . .	935
2	Arya Vaishya . . .	..	Traders . . .	..
3	Ayri . . .	..	Agriculturists, carpenters and smiths.	767
4	Banna . . .	..	Agricultural labourers and gardeners.	130
5	Bilimagga . . .	..	Weavers . . .	1,431
6	Billava . . .	..	Toddy tappers . . .	5,207
7	Boya . . .	..	Agriculturists . . .	..
8	Devanga . . .	..	Weavers . . .	3,391
9	Ganiga . . .	..	Traders and agriculturists.	402
10	Golla . . .	..	Shepherds . . .	730
11	Gowda . . .	..	Agriculturists . . .	19,087
12	Gowliga . . .	..	Milkmen . . .	..
13	Heggade . . .	..	Agriculturists . . .	1,332
14	Kodaga of Yedavanar and Suriabinads.	..	Cultivation . . .	..
15	*Kumbara . . .	..	Pottery . . .	728
16	Lingayat . . .	..	Planters and traders . . .	7,119
17	Mapilla . . .	..	Mostly traders . . .	10,591
18	Madivala . . .	..	Washermen . . .	..
19	*Maleya . . .	..	Native doctors, fortune tellers, exorcise ghost, practise witch craft.	173
20	Marati . . .	..	Agricultural labourers	..
21	Napita . . .	..	Barber . . .	..
22	Rajput . . .	..	..	136
23	Telaga . . .	..	Estate Labourers . . .	393
24	Thoroya	Ditto . . .	11
25	Vokkaliga	Agriculturists . . .	11,164
26	Sikh Harijans (<i>vide</i> Note)

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Sl. No.	Name of the community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	*Abbasi, Bhishti, Sakka	अब्बासी, भिस्ती, सक्का	Muslim watermen	(Not available)
2	Ahir, Ghosi	अहीर, घोसी	Cattle-rearing	35,789
3	Agri Kharwal	अग्री खरवाल	..	(Not available)
4	*Arain, Rayee, Kunjra	अरयी, रायी, कुंजरा	Vegetable sellers	18,090
5	*Banerwala	बनेरवाला	..	(Not available)
6	Barai, Tamboli	बरई, तम्बोली	Betel leaf growers and sellers.	Ditto
7	*Bari	बारी	Leaf-plate makers	Ditto
8	*Bairwa	बैरवा	Labour	Ditto
■	*Bazigar, Nat, Qalandar (Excluding those in S. C.).	बाजीगर, नट, कलन्दर	Acrobats	Ditto
10	*Bairagi	बैरागी	Religious beggars	3,892
11	Barhai, Khati, Tarkhan	बरहई, खाती, तरखान	Carpenters	(Not available)
■	Bhabhulia	भभूलिया	..	Ditto
13	Bhand	भांड	Actors	Ditto
14	Bharbhooja	भड़भूजा	Grain parchers	1,364
15	Bhat	भाट	Ministrels	739
16	Bhatiara	भटियारा	Inn-keepers and tonga drivers.	468
	*Bhisti (S. No. 1)	भिस्ती	Watermen.	(Not available)
17	Chak	चाक	..	Ditto
18	Chhipi, Tank	छोपी टांक	Cloth dyers and tailors.	3,471
19	*Chirimar	चिड़ीमार	Bird catchers	939
20	Dafali	डफाली	Entertainers	(Not available)
21	Daiya, Dhaiya	डैया, डैया	Makers of winnowing fans.	Ditto
22	Darzi	दर्जी	Tailors	414

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23	*Dakaut, Prade	डाकौत, प्रादे	Fortune tellers	(Not available)
	*Daiya (S. No. 21)	दैया	Makers of winnowing fan.
24	Dhobi	धोबी	Washermen	(Not available)
25	*Dhinwar, Jhinwar, Kahar, Nishar.	धीवर, झीवर, कहार, निषाद	Water carriers, palanquin bearers and fishermen.	Ditto
26	Dhunua, Pinjara, Kadhera, Dhunnewala.	धुनिया, पिन्जारा, कढेरा, धुनेवाला	Cotton scutchers and carders.	Ditto
	Dhunnewala (S. No. 26)	धुनेवाला	Ditto	Ditto
27	Fakir	फकीर	Muslim Beggars	17,351
28	Gach, Mandewala	गाछ, मंडेवाला	.. . . .	(Not available)
29	*Gadaria	गडरिया	Shepherds	6,674
30	*Gaddi, Garri	गद्दी, गर्री	Buffalo-graziers and milkmen.	1,744
31	*Gadheri	गधेरी	Mule keepers, labourers.	(Not available)
	*Garri (S. No. 30)	गर्री	Buffalo-graziers and milkmen.	(See Gaddi)
32	*Ghasiara	घसियारा	Grass cutters	(Not available)
	Ghosi (S. No. 2)	घोसी	Cattle rearing and milkmen.	1,125
33	Gujar	गूजर	Milkmen	41,011
34	Gwala	ग्वाला	Cowherds	(See Ghosi)
35	Hajjam, Nai	हज्जाम, नाई	Barbers	(Not available)
36	Herbi	हर्बी	.. . . .	..
37	Hijra	हिजड़ा	Eunuchs, entertainers	14
38	Jallad	जल्लाद	Executors and butchers.	(Not available)
39	Jhatkia Sikh	झटकिया सिख	Meat sellers	Ditto
	*Jhinwar (S. No. 25)	झीवर	.. . . .	(See Dhinwar)
40	Jogi	जोगी	Beggars	4,235
41	Julaha, Momin, (Excluding those in S. C.).	जुलाहा, मोमिन	Weavers	(Not available)
	*Kahar (S. No. 25)	कहार	Water carriers, palanquin bearers and fishermen.	Ditto

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42	Kalal, Kalwar . . .	कलाल, कलवार	Distillers . . .	1,925
	Kalwar (S. No. 42) . . .	कलवार	Ditto . . .	(See Kalal)
	Kadhera (S. No. 26) . . .	कढेरा	Cotton scutchers and carders.	(Not available)
43	Kasai, Qussab, Quraishi . . .	कसाई, कसब, कुरेशी	Butchers . . .	Ditto
44	*Kathputli Nachanewala . . .	कठपुतली नचानेवाला	Exhibit Puppet shows . . .	Ditto
45	Kachhi, Koeri, Murai, Murao.	कच्छी, कोयरी मुरई, मुराव	Agriculture . . .	3,124
46	Kangar . . .	कंगर	..	11
47	Kanmaeli . . .	कानमेली	Ear cleaners . . .	(Not available)
48	Kasera, Temara, Thathera, Thathiar.	कसेरा टेमारा, ठठेरा, ठठियार	Vessel makers . . .	Ditto
49	Khatgunc . . .	खाटगुने	..	Ditto
	Khati (S. No. 11) . . .	खाती	Carpenters . . .	Ditto
50	Khatik (only Suryavanshi)	खटीक	..	Ditto
	Koeri (S. No. 45) . . .	कोयरी	Agriculture . . .	Ditto
51	*Kumhar, Prajapati . . .	कुम्हार, प्रजापति	Potters . . .	38,738
	*Kunjra (S. No. 4) . . .	कुंजड़ा	Vegetable sellers . . .	154
52	Kurmi . . .	कुरमी	..	1,450
53	Labana . . .	लबाणा	Pack-carriers . . .	14
54	Lakhera, Manihar . . .	लखेरा, मनिहार	Lack-bangle makers and sellers.	(Not available)
55	Lodhi, Lodh, Lodha, Maha Lodh.	लोधी, लोध, लोधा, महालोध	Gardeners . . .	3,477
	Lodh (S. No. 55) . . .	लोध	Ditto . . .	..
	Lodha (S. No. 55) . . .	लोधा	Ditto . . .	..
56	*Luhar . . .	लुहार	Blacksmiths . . .	8,386
57	Machhi, Machhera . . .	माच्छी, मछेरा	Fishermen . . .	4,470
	Machhera (S. No. 57) . . .	मछेरा	Fishermen . . .	(Not available)
58	Mali, Saini, Sauthia, Sagarwanshi Mali, Nayak.	माली, सैनी, सौथिया सागरवंशी माली, नायक	Gardening and Agri-culture.	15,854
	Maha Lodh (S. No. 55) . . .	महा लोध	..	(Not available)

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	Mandewala (S. No. 28)	मन्डेवाला	..	(Not available)
	Manihar (S. No. 54)	मनिहार	Lac-bangle makers and sellers.	1,078
59	*Masania Jogi	मसानिया जोगी	..	Ditto
60	Memar, Raj	मेमार, राज	Masons	Ditto
61	Meo, Mewati	मेओ, मेवाती	Cultivators	14,437
	Mewati (S. No. 61)	मेवाती	Ditto	(See Meo)
62	Merasi, Mirasi	मेरासी, मिरासी	Musicians and entertainers.	(Not available)
	Mirasi (S. No. 62)	मिरासी	Ditto	2,142
63	Mochi (Excluding those in S. C.).	मोची	Shoe-makers	(Not available)
	Momin (S. No. 41)	मोमिन	Weavers	Ditto
	Murai (S. No. 45)	मुरई	Agriculture	Ditto
	Murao (S. No. 45)	मुराव	Ditto	Ditto
	*Nat (S. No. 9) (Excluding those in S. C.).	नट	..	..
	Nai (S. No. 35)	नाई	Barbers	16,554
64	Nalband	नालबन्द	Animal shoe-fixers	(Not available)
	Nayak (S. No. 58)	नायक	Gardeners and agriculturists.	Ditto
65	Naqqal	नक्काल	Mimics	Ditto
	*Nishad (S. No. 25)	निषाद	Fishermen	Ditto
66	Patwa	पटवा	Workers in silk thread	129
67	*Patharphora, Sangtarash	पत्थरफोड़ा, संगतराश	Stone-cutters	(Not available)
	*Prajapati (S. No. 51)	प्रजापति	Potters	Ditto
	*Prade (S. No. 23)	प्रादे	Fortune tellers	Ditto
	Pinjara (S. No. 26)	पिन्जारा	Cotton scutchers and carders.	107
	*Qalandar (S. No. 9)	कलन्दर	Acrobats	79
	Qussab (S. No. 43)	कसब	Butchers	2,685
	Quraishi (S. No. 43)	कुरेशी	Ditto	(Not available)
68	Rangrez	रंगरेज	Cloth dyers and printers.	Ditto
	Raj (S. No. 60)	राज	Masons	61
	*Rayee (S. No. 4)	रायी	Vegetable sellers	(Not available)

HIMACHAL PRADESH

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(NOTE.—*Indicates Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Acharaj, Dakaut, Gujru	अचारज, डाकौत, गुजरू	Funeral priests	(Not available)
2	*Atishbaz	आतिशबाज	..	Ditto
3	Bairagi, Nath, Gosain	बैरागी, नाथ गोसायी	Religious beggars	470
4	*Bega	बेगा	..	(Not available)
5	*Betru	बेटरू	..	Ditto
6	Bhat, Deti	भाट, डेटी	Genealogists and cultivators.	694
7	*Bujhri (Brahman)	भुजरी (ब्राह्मण)	Astrologers and musicians.	(Not available)
8	Chhimba, Darzi	छीम्बा, दर्जी	Dyers and printers, Tailors.	908
	Dakaut (S. No. 1)	डाकौत	Funeral priests	(Not available)
	Darzi (S. No. 8)	दर्जी	Tailors	355
	*Deti (S. No. 6)	डेटी	..	(Not available)
9	*Dhinwar, Jheer, Jhinwar, Kahar.	धीवर, झीर, झीवर, कहार	..	Ditto
10	Ghai	घाई	..	M
11	Gorkha	गोरखा	Military and Agriculture.	446
	Gosain (S. No. 3)	गोसायीं	Religious beggars	667
	Gujru (S. No. 1)	गुजरू	Funeral priests	(Not available)
12	Jat	जाट	Agriculturists	3,787
13	Julaha (if not Harijans)	जुलाहा (हरिजनोंको छोड़ कर)	Weaving	(Not available)
	*Jhinwar (S. No. 9)	झीवर	Carriers, watermen, fishermen and basket makers. Palanquin bearers.	3,973

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	*Jheer (S. No. 9)	झीर	Carriers, waremen fishermen and basket makers. Palanquin bearers.	..
	*Kahar (S. No. 9)	कहार	Watermen and palan- quin bearers.	4,425
14	*Kalal	कलाल	Distillers and liquor vendors.	852
15	Kanet Rajput	कनेत राजपूत	Agriculture	2,47,182
16	*Kassab	कस्साब	Butchers and meat sellers.	76
17	*Kumhar	कुम्हार	Potters	7,891
18	*Labana	लबाणा	Carriers and hawkers of the hills.	1,726
19	*Lohar (if not Harijan)	लोहार (हरिजनों को छोड़कर)	Blacksmith	20,363 (including all Lohars).
20	Mali, Saini, Phool Mali	माली	Gardeners and vege- table growers.	260
21	Nai	नाई	Barbers	2,551
	Nath (S. No. 3)	नाथ	Religious beggars	(Not available)
22	*Pinje	पिन्जे	Cotton scutcher	19
	Phool Mali (S. No. 20)	फूल माली	Gardeners and vege- table grower.	(Not available)
	Saini (S. No. 20)	सैनी	Ditto	1,760
23	*Sakka	सक्का	Muslim watermen	(Not available)
24	*Tarkhan (if not Harijan)	तरखान	Carpenters	11,822
25	*Teli (if not Harijan)	तेली (हरिजनों को छोड़कर)	Oil-pressers	2,201
26	*Thanwin	थानवीं	Carpenters	(Not available)
27	*Thami	थामी	Carpenters and stone masons.	Ditto

HYDERABAD STATE

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Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Agasa	अगसा	Washermen	(Not available)
2	Akkasaliga	अक्कसलीगा	Goldsmiths	Ditto
3	*Arekatika	आरेकाटीका	Meat sellers, distillers of liquor.	Ditto
4	Arya Sarollu, Daruwala, Sharigaru.	..	Distillers of liquor . .	Ditto
5	*Ausula	औसुला	Goldsmiths	Ditto
6	Badiga	बडीगा	Carpenters	Ditto
7	*Balasanthosh	बालासन्तोष	Wandering beggars, fortune tellers.	Ditto
8	Balasanthu	बालासन्तु	Ditto	3,991
9	Balegar	बलेगार	Bangle sellers	(Not available)
10	*Besta, Gangaputra	पेस्ता गंगापुत्रा	Fishermen, palanquin bearers.	6,13,280
11	*Bhaat, Bhat	भाट, भट	Geneologists and family bards.	37,127
	Bhat (S. No. 11)	भट	..	...
12	*Bhatraja	भटराजा	Ditto	(Not available)
13	Bhawasara, Rangari, Rangrez.	..	Dyers of cotton and Silk.	57,509
14	Bhogam, Ganika, Kalavanthulu.	गनिका	Singing, dancing, prostitution.	57,898
15	*Bhoi . . . .	..	Fishermen	(Not available)
16	Bondili . . . .	..	Watchmen	2,047
17	*Boriabaf, Rassiban . . . .	..	Mat and rope makers	(Not available)
18	*Boya	Fishermen, boatmen and palanquin bearers.	Ditto
19	*Budbudkala	Wandering beggars.	3,654
20	*Bukka	Not available	278

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21	*Burud	बुरुड	Bamboo workers . .	74,765
22	Chakala	चाकला	Washermen	5,79,354
23	Chippa Kuntulu	Tailors	(Not available)
24	Chippollu, Mera	चिप्पालू, मेरा	Ditto	Ditto
25	Chitari, Naqqashi . . . .	..	Carpenters, wood car- vers, doll makers.	351
26	Choodi Farosh . . . .	..	Bangle sellers	(Not available)
	Daruwala (S. No. 4) . . . .	..	..	..
27	Dasari	दासरी	Vaishnavite beggars . .	6,922
28	Deevanga	दीवनगा	Weaving combined with cultivation.	8,74,713
29	Devadasi Caste, Natuva . . . .	..	Dancing	(Not available)
30	Dhangar . . . .	..	Shepherds	19,95,823
31	Dhobi . . . .	..	Washermen	(Not available)
32	*Dombara . . . .	..	Wandering acrobats and jugglers.	Ditto
33	*Dombari . . . .	..	Ditto	Ditto
34	*Dommara	डोमारा	Ditto	21,818
35	Doodekula	दुदेकुला	Muslim weavers, cot- ton cleaners.	(Not available)
36	Eediga	इडिगा	Toddy-tappers	9,17,612
37	Eeliga	इलीगा	Ditto	(Not available)
38	Faqeer . . . .	..	Semi-nomadic beggars . .	Ditto
39	Gajula	गाजुला	Makers of glass bangles . .	59
40	Gandla	गंडला	Oil pressers and petty traders.	(Not available)
	*Gangaputra (S. No. 10) . . . .	..	..	..
41	Gangelddulavar	गंगेल्डुलवार	Professional beggars, street jugglers.	Ditto
42	Ganiga	गणिगा	Oil pressers, petty traders.	Ditto
	Ganika (S. No. 14)	गनिका	..	..
43	Gavandi	गवंडी	Masons, sink well and tanks.	Ditto
44	*Gengettinavaru	गणगट्टी- नवरू	Professional beggars, street jugglers.	Ditto
45	Golla, Yadav	गोल्ला, यादव	Breeding cows, selling butter.	Ditto

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46	*Gondhali . . .	गोंधली	Dancers, mendicants .	(Not available)
47	Gondhaliga . . .	गोंधलीगा	Ditto . . .	Ditto
48	*Goondla . . .	गुडंला	Fishermen, boatmen, palanquin bearers.	Ditto
49	Goundla, Gowda . . .	गौंडला, गौडा	Toddy tappers and liquor vendors.	Ditto
	Gowda (S. No. 49) . . .	गौडा	..	..
50	Gowli . . .	गवली	Cow breeders and butter sellers.	Ditto
51	Gowliga . . .	गवलीगा	Ditto . . .	Ditto
52	*Gurou . . .	गुरव	Temple servants, pro- fessional beggers.	65,375
53	Hajjam . . .	..	Muslim barbers .	(Not available)
54	*Hatkar . . .	हटकार	Hunters of small game	97,102
55	*Hoogar . . .	हुगार	Flower sellers . . .	(Not available)
56	Jada, Nekar . . .	..	Weaving combined with cultivation.	Ditto
57	Jandra . . .	जान्द्रा	Ditto . . .	3,358
58	Jingar . . .	..	Saddlers, leather workers.	(Not available)
59	Jogi . . .	जोगी	Religious mendicants .	Ditto
60	Julaha, Momin . . .	..	Muslim weavers class	Ditto
61	*Kabbaliga Kabberu . . .	कब्बलीगा	Honey collectors and toddy shopkeepers.	Ditto
	*Kabberu (S. No. 61) . . .	कब्बेरू	..	..
62	*Kachagandhivaru . . .	..	Dealers in crude medi- cinal herbs.	Ditto
63	Kachi . . .	काची	Gardener and cul- tivators.	Ditto
64	*Kaikadi . . .	कैकाडी	Basket and mat making	21,468
	Kalavanthulu (S. No. 14) . . .	..	..	..
65	Kalawati . . .	..	Dancers . . .	(Not available)
66	*Kalkutika . . .	कलकुटीका	Day labourers . . .	Ditto
67	Kambar . . .	कम्बार	Blacksmiths . . .	Ditto
68	Kammari . . .	कम्मरी	Ditto . . .	Ditto
69	Kanchari . . .	कंचारी	Manufacturers of brass and copper utensils.	Ditto
70	Kanchugar . . .	कुंचगार	Ditto . . .	Ditto

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97	*Meengar - (fishermen in Karnataka).	मीनगार (कर्नाटक के मच्छीहारे)	Fishermen, boatmen, palanquin bearers.	(Not available)
98	*Mehtar (Muslim)	मेहरा	Muslim scavengers	Ditto
	Mera (S. No. 24)	मेरा	..	..
	Momin (S. No. 60) . . . . .	..	..	..
99	*Mondiwaru	मांडीवारू	Importunate beggars . . . . .	..
100	Mudiraj, Mutharasi . . . . .	..	Cultivators, landless day labourers.	(Not available)
101	Multani . . . . .	..	Watchmen	Ditto
102	Munnur, Munnurkapu	मुन्नूर, मुन्नूरकपू	Cultivators	20,77,115
	Munnurkapu (S. No. 102)	मुन्नूरकपू	..	..
	Mutharasi (S. No. 100) . . . . .	..	..	..
103	*Myadara	मयद्र	Bamboo workers	(Not available)
104	Najjar . . . . .	..	Carpenters	Ditto
	Naqqashi (S. No. 25)	नक्काशी	..	..
	Natuva (S. No. 29) . . . . .	..	..	..
105	Nayidaru	नायदरू	Barbers	(Not available)
106	Neeli	निली	Dying and weaving	Ditto
107	Neelkanti	निलकंटी	Ditto	Ditto
	Nekar (S. No. 56) . . . . .	..	..	..
108	Nhavi	न्हावी	Barbers	18,486
109	Padmashali, Sale . . . . .	..	Weavers and cultivators.	(Not available)
110	*Pangul	पांगुल	Singers, professional beggars.	Ditto
111	*Pardhi	पारधी	Game snarers and fowlers.	11,751
112	Parcet	परीट	Washermen	(Not available)
113	*Patharwat	पाथरवट	Stone hawers, day labourers.	427
114	Patkar	पटकार	Making silk thread	7,600
115	*Perika	पेरीका	Rope and bag makers	1,10,723
116	Phool Mali	फूलमाली	Growing and selling flowers and vegetables.	(Not available)
117	Phulari	फलारी	Flower sellers	Ditto

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139	Thambatgar . . .	थामटगार	Copper smiths . . .	(Not available)
140	Thogti . . .	थोटी	Weavers . . .	Ditto
141	Tulleru . . .	तुलेरू	Cultivators . . .	Ditto
	*Uppara (S. No. 123)	उप्परा	..	..
142	Varala . . .	वाराला	Weaving, dying, carpentry.	44
143	*Vasudeo . . .	वासुदेव	Cultivators and cattle dealers.	(Not available)
144	*Viramushti . . .	वीरमुष्टी	Importunate beggars .	16,005
145	*Wadar . . .	वडार	Stone diggers, also sink wells.	(Not available)
146	*Waddar . . .	वड्डर	Ditto . . .	2,96,849
147	*Waddara . . .	वड्डर	Ditto . . .	(Not available)
	Wadhai (S. No. 133)	बढई	..	..
148	*Wadla . . .	वडला	Carpenters . . .	2,37,230
149	Warthi . . .	वर्दी	Washermen . . .	(Not available)
	Yadav (S. No. 45)	..	..	..
150	Scheduled Castes converted to Christianity.	Ditto
151	Sikh Harijans (<i>Vide</i> Note)	..	Ditto . . .	Ditto

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23	*Kakal, Kakar	काकल, काकर	Rope makers	(Not available)
	*Kakar (S. No. 23)	काकर	Ditto	Ditto
24	Kasai	कसाई	Butchers	200
25	Khalasi	खलासी	Country craft makers . .	(Not available)
26	Kharwa	खारवा	Salt makers and sailors.	1,908
27	Khawas	खवास	Personal attendants . .	4,531
28	Kichha	किच्चा	..	(Not available)
29	*Kumhar	कुम्हार	Potters	22,204
30	*Langha	लंघा	Drummers	(Not available)
31	Luvania, Luharia, Lohar	लवारिया, लुहारिया, लुहार	Blacksmiths	Ditto
	Luharia (S. No. 31)	लुहारिया	Ditto	Ditto
	Lohar (S. No. 31)	लोहार	Ditto	8,067
32	Makarani	मकरानी	Soldiers	3
33	Mali	माली	Gardeners and vegetable growers.	1,117
34	*Madari	मंदारी	Snake charmers and jugglers.	(Not available)
35	Manka Kanbi	मनका कनबी	Agriculturists	64,888 (for Kunbi)
36	*Marwada	मारवाडा	Fur cutters and beggars	(Not available)
37	*Me	मे	Hunters and leaf mat makers.	68
38	*Mer	मेर	Labourers	(Not available)
39	Merani	मेरानी	Agriculture	Ditto
40	Miyana	मियाणा	Ex-Criminal	7,573
41	Mochi	मोची	Leather workers . .	(Not available)
42	Nathbawa	नाथ बावा	Religious beggars . .	Ditto
43	*Nat-Bajania-Bazigar	नट-बजाणिया- बाजीगर	Acrobats	Ditto
44	*Od	ओड़	Earth workers	80
45	*Pakhali Bhisti	पखाली भिस्ती	Water carriers	(Not available)
46	*Rabari	रबारी	Cattle breeders	15,208
47	Raval	रावल	Bards, beggars and tape weavers.	355

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48	Sanghar	संघर	Blanket weavers	(Not available)
	Sai (S. No. 12)	साई	Tailors	(See Darzi).
49	Sathwara	सथवाडा	Brick layers and agri- culturists.	(Not available)
50	Salat (Excluding Sompura Salat).	सलाट (सोमपुरा सलाट को छोड़कर)	Stone-workers	Ditto
51	Shedia	शेदिया	..	Ditto
52	*Sidi	सिद्दी	Menial servants and beggars.	Ditto
53	Shimpi	शीम्पी	Tailors	(See Darzi).
54	Soni	सोनी	Goldsmiths	3,730
55	*Sumra	सूमरा	Agriculture and labour	684
56	Targala Bhavaya	तरगला भवैया	Performers of religious dramas.	(Not available)
57	Tariatai	तरियाताई	Labourers	Ditto
58	Thakarda	ठाकरडा	Ditto. . . .	Ditto
59	Theba	थेबा	Agriculturists	Ditto
60	Vadhala	वढाला	Country craft crew	Ditto
61	Valand	वालन्द	Barbers	Ditto
62	*Vanza	वान्झा	Weavers	Ditto
63	*Vanzara	वन्जारा	Pack-carriers	62
64	Vagher	वाघेर	Fishers	(Not available)
65	Vaghra	वाघ्रा	..	Ditto
66	Sikh (Vide Note)	सिख (नोट के अनुसार)

MADHYA BHARAT

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Sl. No.	Name of the Communities	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	■	3	4	5
1	Ahir	अहीर	Cattle breeders and cultivators.	2,06,202
2	Asara . . . .	..	Inn-keepers .	155
3	*Baghia, Baree, Bawar, Payak, Singhiwala, Vaidyanai.	..	Sucking of impure blood from septic wounds and minor surgery.	..
4	*Bajania, Kannatia . .	बजाणिया	Playing on musical instruments.	..
5	Banjara, Labana . .	बंजारा	Pack—bullock carriers	66,594
6	Barhai, Carpenters . .	बढई	Carpenters . .	..
	*Baree (S. No. 3) . .	बारी	..	..
7	Baroi, Chaurasia, Kumavat, Panwari, Purabia, Tamboli.	..	Betel leaf growers and sellers.	..
	*Bawar (S. No. 3) . .	..	..	..
8	Baver . . . .	..	..	..
■	Behna, Dhunia, Pinjara .	बेहना	Carders . . . .	..
10	*Beldar, Kharol . .	बेलदार	Earth diggers and navvy.	2,331
11	Bhamta, Bhamti . .	..	Labourers . .	..
	Bhamti (S. No. 11) . .	..	Ditto. . . .	..
12	Bhadhuja	भधूजा	..	..
13	*Bhangi, Hela	भंगी	Sweepers . . . .	..
14	*Bhantu	भांतू	Beggars . . . .	..
15	Bharari	भराडी	..	..
16	Bhat, Charan, Sotiya, Salvi.	Maru, भाट	Genealogists . .	1,255
17	Bhatiyara	भटियारा	Inn-keepers
18	Bharbhua	भडभूजा	Grain parchers
19	*Bhishti	भिश्ती	Water carriers . .	3,051

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20	Bidia
21	*Bhoi, Dhiwar, Kahar, भोई Mallah, Navda.	Fishermen and palan- quin bearers.	..
22	*Bhopa, Manbhao	Mendicants . . . . .	..
23	Boreka, Gopal	Agriculturists . . . . .	..
	Carpenters (S. No. 6) . कारपेन्टर	Furniture makers . . . . .	..
	Charan (S. No. 16) . चारण	Geneologists . . . . .	..
	Chaurasia (S. No. 7) . चोरासिया	Betel leaf growers and sellers.	..
24	Chhipa छीपा	Dyers and printers	15,345
25	Darzi दर्जी	Tailors	43,331
26	Deshwali, Mina देशवाली	Agriculturists . . . . .	..
27	*Dhakad, Keer, Kirar . धाकड	Farm servants and labourers.	75,023
28	Dhangar धनगर	Shepherds	7,933
	*Dhiwar (S. No. 21) . धीवर	Fishermen, palanquin bearers.	..
29	Dhunkar, Kadore धुनकर	Carders . . . . .	..
	Dhunia (S. No. 9) . धुनिया	Ditto.	32,008
30	Faquir फकीर	Beggars	24,883
31	*Gadole, Gaddoli, Lango- liha, Lohpita.	Primitive smithy work	..
	*Gaddoli	Ditto . . . . .	..
32	Gadariya, Ghosi	Shepherds	1,61,199
33	*Gayari . . . . .	..	..
34	Ghami . . . . .	..	..
35	*Ghatti Ghare . . . . .	..	..
	Ghosi (S. No. 32) . घोसी	Shepherds . . . . .	..
	Gopal (S. No. 23) . गोपाल	Agriculturists . . . . .	..
36	Gujar गूजर	Ditto	2,35,929
37	Hajjam हज्जाम	Barbers	1,170
38	Hammal हम्माल	Rural traders on barter.	517
39	*Hajuri Daroga हजूरी दरोगा	..	..
	*Hela (S. No. 13) . हेला	Sweepers	1,417

1	2	3	4	5
40	Jat	जाट	Cultivators	53,642
41	*Jingar	जीनगर	Salt makers and labourers.	20
42	*Jogde . . . . .	..	..	..
43	*Joginath	जोगीनाथ	.. catchers . . . . .	..
44	Joshi	जोशी	Fortune tellers	7,995
45	Julaha, Momin	जुलाहा	.. . . .	3,402
46	Kabirpanthi, Ramdasiya, Ravidasia.	कबीरपन्थी	.. ..	..
47	Kachhi, Kushwaha Kshat- riya.	काछी	Agriculturists and vegetable growers.	..
	Kadore (S. No. 29) . . . . .	..	.. . . .	..
	*Kahar (S. No. 21)	कहार	Fishermen and palan- quin bearers.	14,915
48	Kalal, Kalar	कलल	Distillers	32,045
	Kalar (S. No. 48)	..	Ditto. . . . .	..
49	*Kallun ..	कल्लुन	..	..
	.. ..	..	Playing on musical in- struments.	..
	.. ..	कसेरा	Brass utensil makers	3,602
	*Keer (S. No. 27) . . . . .	..	Farm servants and labourers.	..
51	Khengar, Mirdhan	खंगर	Village messengers and watchmen.	24,040
	*Kharol (S. No. 10) . . . . .	..	Earth diggers and navvy.	..
	*Kirar (S. No. 27) . . . . .	..	Farm servants and labourers.	..
52	Koshti	कोष्टी	Weavers	4,496
53	*Kuchbandiya	कुचबन्धिया	Manufacturers of weavers' brushes.	..
54	Kulbandhiya	कुलबन्धिया	Masons . . . . .	..
	Kumavat (S. No. 7)	कुमावट	Betel leaf growers and sellers.	..
55	*Kumhar	कुम्हार	Potters	1,19,362
56	Kunbi (Maratha)	कुणबी मराठा
57	Kunjra	कुंजडा	Vegetable sellers	3,732

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	Kashawaha No. 47).	Kshatriya (S. कुशवाहा क्षत्रिय	Agriculturists and vegetable growers.
58	Kurmi	कुर्मी	Agriculturists	1,19,938	
	Labana (S. No. 5)	लबाणा	Pack-bullock carriers . . . . .	..
59	Lakhera	लखेरा	Bangle sellers	4,079	
	*Langoliha (S. No. 31)	लंगोलिहा	Primitive smithy work . . . . .	..
60	Lodha, Lodhi	लोधा	Agriculturists	1,61,039	
	Lodhi (S. No. 60)	लोधी	Ditto. . . . .	..
	*Lohpita (S. No. 31)	लोहपीटा	Primitive smithy work . . . . .	..
61	*Lonia, Lunia, Ode, Odiya	लोणिया	Salt makers and earth diggers.	1,497	
	*Lunia (S. No. 61)	लुनिया	Salt makers . . . . .	..
62	Machhi, Mali	माछी	Gardeners	80,216	
	Mali (S. No. 62)	माली	Ditto. . . . .	..
	*Mallah (S. No. 21)	मल्लाह	Boatmen . . . . .	..
	*Manbhao (S. No. 22) . . . . .	..	Mendicants . . . . .	..
63	Manihar	मणिहार	Bangle sellers	798	
	Maratha (Kunbi)	मराठा कुनबी	.. . . .	..
	Maru Sotiya (S. No. 16) . . . . .	..	Genealogists . . . . .	..
64	Mavi . . . . .	..	Agriculture and tailoring.	..	
65	*Mewati	मेवाती	.. . . .	22,609	
	Mina (S. No. 26)	मीणा	Agriculturists	1,07,486	
66	*Mirasi	मिरासी	.. . . .	..
	Mirdhan (S. No. 51) . . . . .	..	Village messengers and watchmen.	..	
	Momin (S. No. 45)	मोमिन	Weavers	3,402	
67	Muchhia . . . . .	..	.. . . .	..
68	Nai	नाई	Barbers	1,03,094	
69	Naik	नाईक	.. . . .	..
70	Naita, Nayata . . . . .	..	.. . . .	6,420	
71	*Nat	नट	Acrobats	2,308	
	*Navda (S. No. 21)	Fishermen and palanquin bearers.	..	
	Nayata (S. No. 70)	6,420	

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72	Neria
	*Ode (S. No. 61)	Salt makers and earth diggers.	..
	*Odiya (S. No. 61)	Ditto.	..
73	Pahar
	Panwari (S. No. 7) . . . . .	..	Betel leaf growers and sellers.	..
	*Payak (S. No. 3)	पायक	Sucking of impure blood.	..
	Pinjara (S. No. 9)	पिन्जारा	Carders . . . . .	..
	Purabia (S. No. 7)	पुरबिया	Betel leaf growers and sellers.	..
74	Qassab	कस्साब	Butchers	1,505
	Ramdasiya (S. No. 46)	राम-दासिया	..	..
75	Rangrez	रंगरेज	Dyers and printers.	5,856
	Ravidasiya (S. No. 46)	रविदासिया	..	..
76	Sali . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
	Salvi (S. No. 16) . . . . .	..	Geneologists . . . . .	..
77	*Sikligar	सिकलीगर	Tool sharpeners	1,230
	*Singhiwala (S. No. 3)	सींघीवाला	Sucking of impure blood.	..
78	*Siyane . . . . .	..	..	..
79	Sonar	सोनार	Goldsmiths	46,250
80	Sondhia	सोंधिया	..	..
	Tamboli (S. No. 7)	तम्बोली	Betel leaf growers and sellers.	9,374
81	*Tawaif	तवायफ	..	633
82	Teli	तेली	Oil-pressers	1,07,232
83	Thami
	*Vaidyanai (S. No. 3)

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List of Other Backward Classes as recommended by the Backward Classes Commission

(NOTE.— * Indicates Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Ahir, Jadav	अहीर	Cattle breeders and milkmen.	9,78,911
2	*Badaka	बडका	..	..
3	*Bahurupi	बहुरूपी	Earn money by mimicry.	..
4	*Banjara/Vanjari, Labhan/Lamane, Mathura, Nayak/Nayakda, Thuria.	बंजारा, वंजारी	Pack-bullock carriers .	1,85,384
5	*Bari	बारी	Leaf plate makers .	..
6	Barai, Tamboli . . .	बारई	Betel leaf growers .	79,641
7	*Basdewa/Vasdeo/Vasude-wa.	बसुदेवा	Cattle dealers and religious mendicants.	..
8	*Bedia/Beria/Biria, Dukar-Kolhati, Kolhati.	बेडिया, बेरिया, बिरिया	Wanderers . .	..
9	Beldar, Telegu-Munnarkapu.	बेलदार	Masons . . .	31,017
10	Bhadbhunja (by caste) .	भडभुन्जा	Gram frying . .	..
11	*Bhadi-Waddar, Matti-Wadder, Waddar.	भाडी-वड्डर	Earth workers . .	..
12	Bhadre	भदरे	Gram frying . .	..
13	Bhanmati, Bhanta/Bhamta	भानमती	Thieves . . .	..
	Bhanta/Bhamta (S. No. 13)	भांटा, भामटा	Ditto. . . .	5,178
14	Bhar	भार	Agriculture . .	4,350
15	Bharia-Bharihar . . .	भारिआ-भरिहार	Ditto. . . .	44,444
16	Bhat/Brahmabhat, Charan	भाट	Bards and geneologists	26,735
17	Bhavsar, Chippa, Nilgar, Nirali, Rangari.	भावसार	Dyers and printers. .	28,739
18	*Bhisty	भिस्तो	Water carriers .	..
19	*Bhoi, Ezingabhui, Kahar, Turha.	भोई	Fishermen, boatemen, palki bearers.	.
20	Bhoyar	भोयर	Agriculture . .	89,144

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21	Dhulia, Kosti/Kushta/ Koshti, Lingayat Hatgar. Charan (S. No. 16) . .	चारण	Cotton weavers
22	Chauhan Chippa (S. No. 17) . .	चौहान छीपा	Bards and geneologists . .	..
23	Chitari	चितारी	Agriculturists . .	..
24	*Chunkar, Sunkar . .	चुनकर	Dyers and printers . .	..
25	Darji, Meru	दर्जी	Painters	1,643
26	Dewang, Jandra, Koskati, Lingayat. *Dukar-Kolhati (S. No. 8)	देवांग डुकर- कोल्हाटी	Lime and earth work- ers. Tailors . . . .	.. 61,160
			Weavers	1,622
27	*Dhangar, Gadri/Gadaria, Hatgar/Hatkar, Kurmar, Mirdha.	धनगर	Wanderers . .	..
28	*Dhanka	धानका	Shepherds . .	1,95,957
29	*Dhimar, Kewat . .	ढीमर	Cotton cleaners . .	3,039
30	Dhobi	धोबी	Fishermen, water- bearers.	3,25,210
31	*Dholi	धोली	Washermen . .	37
32	Dhunja, Dhunkar . .	..	Drummers . .	..
	*Ezingabbhui (S. No. 19)	ईझिगाभुई	Gardens . . . .	..
33	Fakir-Bandarwala . .	फकीर- बन्दरवाला	Fishermen, boatmen, palki-bearers.	..
	*Gadri/Gadaria (S. No. 27)	..	Monkey tamers . .	12,568
34	Gahamandi	गहामंडी	Shepherds . .	..
35	Gaoli, Lingayat-Gaoli .	गवली	..	..
36	Garhwal . . . .	..	Milkmen . . . .	..
37	Garpagari, Nath . . .	..	Weavers . . . .	..
38	*Garwadi/Garaddi . .	गरवाडी- गराडी	Averters of hailstorm .	12,119
39	*Gochaki	गोचाकी	..	..
40	Gondhali	गोंधाली	Religious mendicants .	4,791
41	Ghosi	गोशी	Cowherds . .	..
42	*Gopal, Pangala Gopal .	गोपाल	Wandering people .	..
43	*Gosangiwar	गोसंगीवार
44	*Gurav	गुरव	Village priests, musici- ans	18,982

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45	Habura	6,795
46	Hajjam	Barbers	123
47	Harni
	*Hatgar/Hatkar (S. No. 27)	..	Shepherds
48	*Hollar होलर	..	Hide curers . . . . .	..
	Jadav (S. No. 1) . . . . .	..	Cattle breeders and milkmen. . . . .	..
	Jandra (S. No. 26) . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
49	Jhadi, Sonar झाड़ी	..	Goldsmiths . . . . .	..
50	Jangam जंगम	..	Saiva mendicants	3,023
51	Kachera, Lakhera . . . . .	..	Bangle makers . . . . .	..
52	Kachhi काछी	..	Vegetable growers	1,56,264
53	*Kadera . . . . .	..	Makers of fireworks . . . . .	..
	*Kahar (S. No. 19) कहार	..	Fishermen, Boatmen, Palki-bearers.	34,993
54	*Kangar Batwalo कंगार बटवालो	..	Gypsies . . . . .	..
55	*Kanjjar कंजर	..	Ditto-	1,554
56	Kalar, Khatri-Maratha कलार	..	Distillers	2,61,603
57	Kasar, Kasera, Otari, Tamera/Tambatkar, Thathera. कासार	..	Brass-smiths, copper-smiths.	29,726
58	Kassab, Kasai, Quraishi, Khatik. . . . .	..	Butchers	7,626
59	*Kasbi कसबी	..	Caste of dancing girls . . . . .	..
	Kasera (S. No. 57) . . . . .	..	Brass-smiths, copper-smiths. . . . .	..
	*Kewat (S. No. 29) केवट	..	Fishermen, water-bearers. . . . .	..
60	Khamgara खामगारा	..	..	..
	Khatri-Maratha (S. No. 56). खत्री-मराठा	..	Distillers . . . . .	..
61	Khatia खटिया	..	..	34,356
62	Kirar/Kirad . . . . .	..	Agriculturist . . . . .	..
	*Kolhati (S. No. 18) कोल्हाटी	..	Wanderers . . . . .	..
63	*Koli कोली	..	Village servants	720
	Koskati (S. No. 26)	Weavers
	Kosti/Kushta/Koshti (S. No. 21) कोष्टी, कुष्टा	..	Cotton weavers	2,12,794

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64	*Kotil	कोटिल
65	*Kuchbandha	कुचबन्धा	Makers of weavers' brushes.	..
66	Kumhar/Kumbhar	कुम्हार, कुंभार	Potters	31,558
67	Kunbi	कुणबी	Agriculturists	15,30,014
	*Kurmar (S. No. 27) . . . . .	..	Shepherds . . . . .	..
68	Kurmi	कुर्मी	Agriculturists	3,79,044
69	*Ladia/Ladhia/Laria . . . . .	..	..	..
	Lakhera (S. No. 51)	लाखेरा	Banglemakers	6,093
	Lingayat (S. No. 26)	लिंगायत	Weavers . . . . .	..
	Lingayat-Gaoli (S. No. 35)	लिंगायतगवली	Milkmen . . . . .	..
	Ligayat Hatgar (S. No. 21) . . . . .	..	Cotton weavers . . . . .	..
70	Lodhi	लोधी	Agriculturists	3,80,448
71	Lohar	लोहार	Blacksmiths	2,35,991
72	*Lunia, Nonia	लुणिया	Salt makers . . . . .	..
73	Manbhav/Mahanubhav Purohit	मानभाव, महानुभाव पुरोहित	Priests without sacred thread.	..
74	Mala	माला	Cotton weavers and labourers.	1,246
75	Mali, Marar	माली	Gardeners	7,48,215
76	Manjar	मंजार	..	..
	Marar (S. No. 75) . . . . .	..	Gardeners . . . . .	..
	*Mathura (S. No. 4)	मथुरा	Pack-bullock carriers . . . . .	..
	*Matti-Waddar (S. No. 11)	मत्ती-वड्डर	Earth workers . . . . .	..
	Meru (S. No. 25)	मेरू	Tailors . . . . .	..
77	Mhali, Nai/Nhavi	म्हाली	Barbers . . . . .	..
78	Mina	मिना, मीणा	Cultivators . . . . .	..
	*Mirdha (S. No. 27)	मिरधा	Shepherds . . . . .	..
79	Momin, Julaha . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
	Nai/Nhavi (S. No. 77)	न्हावी	Barbers	1,58,994
80	*Nat	नट	Acrobats . . . . .	..
	Nath (S. No. 37)	नाथ	Averters of hailstorm
	*Nayak/Nayakda (S. No. 4)	नायक/नायकडा	Pack-bullock carriers

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	Nilgar (S. No. 17)	नीलगर	Dyers and printers	..
	Nirali (S. No. 17)	..	Ditto	..
	*Nonia (S. No. 72)	नोनिया	Salt makers	..
	Otar (S. No. 57)	औतारी	Brass-smiths, copper-smiths.	..
81	Padka	पडका	..	..
82	Padmasali, Sali/Sutsali, Salewar.	..	Weavers	..
83	*Palhari	पल्हारी	Wanderers	..
84	Panka	पनका	Cotton weavers	1,40,736
85	Parasher	पराशर	Shopkeepers and pedlars.	..
86	*Parthi	पारथी	..	..
87	Patka/Patki, Patwa	पटका	Makers of silk braided thread.	9,473
	Patwa (S. No. 37)	पटवा	Ditto	..
88	*Perki	पेरकी	Jute weaving	..
89	*Pindara	पेढारा	Freebooters, now cultivators.	..
90	*Powar	पोवार	..	..
91	*Putligar	पुतलीगर	..	..
92	Raghvi, Raghvanshi	राघवी, रघुवंशी	Cultivators and cattle-rearing.	..
93	Rajamuria	राज-मुरिया	..	..
	Rangari (S. No. 17)	रंगारी	Dyers and printers	..
94	Rangrez	रंग्रेज	Ditto	..
95	Raot/Rawl, Raoti	रावत	..	..
96	*Rohar	रोहर	..	..
97	Ruchbandhia	रुचबंधिया	..	..
98	Sais/Sayers, Shis	..	Horse keepers	..
	Salewar (S. No. 32)	..	Weavers	..
	Sali/Sutsali (S. No. 32)	..	Ditto	13,585
99	Saranjia	सरंजिया	..	..
100	*Sugiwala	सुगिवाला	Suckers of impure blood.	..
	Senar (S. No. 44)	मोनार	Goldsmiths	1,70,226
	*Sunkar (S. No. 21)	मोनकार	Lime and earth workers	..

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101	Sutar	सुतार	Carpenters
	Tamboli (S. No. 6)	तम्बोली	Betel leaf growers
	Tamera/Tambatkar (S. No. 57)	तमेरा/ तांबेटकर	Brass-smiths and copper-smiths.
	Telugu Mannarkapu (S. No. 9) . . . . .	..	Masons . . . . .	..
102	Teli	तेली	Oil-pressing	12,21,037
	Thathera (S. No. 57) . . . . .	..	Brass-smiths, copper-smiths. . . . .	..
103	Thetwar . . . . .	..	Herdsmen . . . . .	..
104	*Thoti Burud	थोटी बुरूड	..	..
	*Thuria (S. No. 4)	थुरीआ	Pack-bullock carriers . . . . .	..
105	*Tirmale	तिरमल	Begging with bowl . . . . .	..
106	Tirwalli	तिरवाली	..	..
	*Turha (S. No. 19) . . . . .	..	Fishermen, boatmen, paliki-bearers. . . . .	..
	*Waddar (S. No. 11)	वड्डर	Earth-workers	15,729
107	Wanha . . . . .	..	..	..
108	*Yerkilwar, Yerkula	येरकीलवार	Gypsies
109	Audhia	औधिया	Thieves
110	Bowariya	बावरिया	Hunters

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18	Battada	Not available
19	*Bestha	Hunting, fishing, domestic servants.	..
20	*Bhandari	Barbers
21	*Bhatraju . . . . .	..	Ballad reciters and beggars.	..
22	Billava Maliah Billava . . . . .	..	Toddy drawer, Agricultural labourer.	..
23	Bondil . . . . .	..	Sepoys, and revenue peons, Moneylenders.	..
24	*Boya . . . . .	..	Stone breakers . . . . .	..
25	Chaptogara (S. Kanara) . . . . .	..	Carpenters . . . . .	..
26	*Chatada, Chattada, Srivaishnava.	..	Making garland. Torches bearers during religious procession. Temple service.	..
	*Chattada Srivaishnava (S. No. 26).	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
	Chonel Domb(S. No. 8) . . . . .	..	Not available . . . . .	..
	Christian Domb (S. No. 8) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
27	*Dasari . . . . .	..	Mendicants, street singers, beggars.	..
28	*Devadika (S. Kanara) . . . . .	..	Temple service . . . . .	..
	Devanga (S. No. 15) . . . . .	..	.. . . .	..
	Domb (S. No. 8) . . . . .	..	Not available . . . . .	..
29	*Dommara . . . . .	..	Acrobats, skilful jugglers, beggars.	..
30	Dudekula . . . . .	..	Cotton cleaning . . . . .	..
31	*Eravallar . . . . .	..	Agricultural labourers . . . . .	..
32	Ezhuvan, Illuvan(Malabar) . . . . .	..	Toddy tappers . . . . .	..
33	*Galada Konkani . . . . .	..	Fishermen . . . . .	..
34	Gamalla, Gowda, Kalali . . . . .	..	Cattle breeding, cultivation. . . . .	..
35	Gandla . . . . .	..	Oil pressing . . . . .	..
36	Gangavar (Coimbatore Distt.)	Masons and labourers
37	Ganika, Nagavamsam	Oil pressers

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38	Ganjam Reddi (Ramned, Madura, Distts). Tinnevely	..	Agricultural labours	..
39	*Gatti (S. Kanara)	..	Pot making, cultivation	..
40	Golla, Iddayar Konar, Yadav.	..	Cattle rearing	..
	Gowda (S. No. 34)	..	Cattle breeding, cultivation.	..
41	*Gramani, Shanan	..	Toddy tappers	..
42	*Gudigara	..	Woodcarving and painting.	..
	Iddayar (S. No. 40)	..	Cattle rearing	..
43	Idiga, Setti-Balija	..	Toddy tappers	..
44	Illathar, Pannikkar, Pillamar, Sarayakara, Sirkudipillai.	..	Toddy tapper, agriculturist.	..
	Illuvan (S. No. 32)	..	Toddy tappers	..
45	*Irulan	..	Fishing	..
46	*Isaivellalar, Melakarar (Tanjore Distt.).	..	Professional musicians	..
47	*Jambuvanodai	..	..	..
48	*Jandara	..	Rope making	..
49	Jangam	..	Priests to both Lingayats and non-Lingayats.	..
50	Jetty	..	Professional wrestlers and gymnasts.	..
51	*Jogi	..	Piggery	..
52	Kabbera (S. Kanara)	..	Fishermen, cultivators	..
53	*Kaduppattan (Malabar Distt.).	..	Carriers of salt, oil etc. Palanquin bearers.	..
54	Kaikolan, Songunthur	..	Weavers, agriculturists, traders.	..
	Kalali (S. No. 34)	..	Cultivation, cattle breeding.	..
55	Kalavanthula	..	Dancers, singers	..
56	Kallan, Parimalai Kallan Kambalathar (S. No. 16)	..	Agricultural labourers Agriculture	..
57	Kammalan, Kamsala, Viswabrahmin, Viswakarma.	..	Smithy	..
	Kamsala (S. No. 57)	..	Ditto	..

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58	Kanisu, Kaniyar Pannikkar, Kanitha Pulaver.	..	Astrologers, teachers	..
	Kanitha Pulaver (S. No. 58)	..	Ditto	..
	Kaniyar Pannikkar (S. No. 58)	..	Astrologers, teachers	..
59	Kannadiyar	..	Cattle breeders, cultivators, butter and curd sellers.	..
60	Karikala Bhaktulu, Karni Bhaktula, Pattusali, Padmasali, Sale, Sali, saliyan, Senapathulu, Thogata.	..	Weavers	..
61	*Kavuthiyan	..	Barbers	..
	Kendi (S. No. 16)	..	Agriculture	..
62	*Kharvi (S. Kanara)	..	Fishermen	..
63	Khatri	..	Silk weavers	..
64	Kolari, Muniyani (South Kanara).	..	Shepherds	..
65	*Kolasi (S. Kanara)	..	Barbers	..
66	Koliy, Urali Nair	..	Masons, brick layers	..
67	*Kongu Chettiar (Coimbatore Distt.).	..	Labour	..
	Konar (S. No. 40)	..	Rear cattle	..
68	*Koracha	..	Weaving nets for fishing and suspending household pots and utensils.	..
69	Koteyar, Sheragara Kshatriya (S. Kanara).	..	Agricultural labour	..
	Kettai Reddi (S. No. 16)	..	Ditto	..
70	Kudal Desahasti Gowd	..	Petty traders	..
71	*Kulala	..	Potters	..
72	Kumara Kshatriya	..	Manual labour	..
73	*Kunnuvar Mannadi	..	..	..
74	*Kuruba, Kurumba	..	Shepherds	..
75	*Kuruhini Chetty	..	Weavers	..
	Kurumba (S. No. 74)	..	Shepherds	..
76	Labbai	..	Petty traders	..

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77	Madambi	Agricultural labour .	..
78	*Madivala	Washermen
79	*Madugar, Medavar, Mahendra, Medara.	..	Basket making
	*Mahendra (S. No. 79) .	..	Ditto	..
80	Mahratta (Non-brahmin)	..	Agriculture, trade- butchery.	..
81	Malayan (Malabar) .	..	..	..
82	Malayaman, Moopanan, Nainar, Nathaman, Pa- rakavakulam, Surithi- man.	..	Agricultural labour .	..
	Maliah Billava (S. No. 22)	..	Toddy tappers . .	..
83	Male (S. Kanara) . .	..	Assist. Brahmins in work.	..
84	Mali, Mali Korchia, Paiko mali, Peddamali.	..	..	..
	Mali Korchia (S. No. 84)	..	..	..
85	Mandatan Chetty . .	..	Agriculturists . .	..
86	*Mangala . . .	..	Barbers . . .	..
87	Mappilla . . .	..	Labourers, petty traders	..
88	Maravar . . .	..	Land owning . .	..
89	*Maruthuvar . . .	..	Barbers, nurses, mid- wives.	..
	*Medara (S. No. 79) .	..	Basket making . .	..
	*Medavar (S. No. 79) .	..	Ditto . . .	..
	*Melakarar (S. No. 46) .	..	Professional musicians	..
	Mirgani Domb (S. No. 8)	..	..	..
90	*Modi Banda . . .	..	Beggars . . .	..
91	*Mogaveera (S. Kanara) .	..	Fishing . . .	..
92	*Moili (S. Kanara) . .	..	Temple servants .	..
93	*Mond-Golla . . .	..	..	..
94	Moniagar (Tinnevely Madura Distts.).	..	Agricultural labour .	..
	Moopanan (S. No. 82) .	..	Ditto . . .	..
95	Moothakammala Musuka Balija.	..	Ditto . . .	..
96	Muduva . . .	..	Ditto . . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
97	*Mukhari . . . . .	..	Fishing . . . . .	..
98	Muli, Muliya . . . . .	..	..	..
	Muliya (S. No. 98) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
	Muniyani (S. No. 64) . . . . .	..	Shepherds . . . . .	..
99	Musukunta Nadu Vellala (Tanjore Distt.).	..	Agricultural labour . . . . .	..
100	Mutracha . . . . .	..	Cultivators . . . . .	..
101	*Muttakkampatti . . . . .	..	..	..
102	Muttiriyam . . . . .	..	Village talaiaior, watch- men.	..
103	Nagaram . . . . .	..	Medicine, cultivation . . . . .	..
	Nagavamsam (S. No. 37) . . . . .	..	Oil pressers . . . . .	..
104	Namdev Maharatta (North Arcot Distt.).	..	Dyers, tailors . . . . .	..
	Nainar (S. No. 82) . . . . .	..	Agricultural labour . . . . .	..
105	*Narikoravan . . . . .	..	Mendicants . . . . .	..
	Nathamam (S. No. 82) . . . . .	..	Agricultural labour . . . . .	..
106	*Navudian . . . . .	..	Labour . . . . .	..
107	*Nokkar . . . . .	..	Beggars . . . . .	..
108	*Oddar, Odde, Vadde, Veddai, Vodde.	..	Earth work . . . . .	..
	*Odde (S. No. 108) . . . . .	..	..	..
109	*Padayachi (Villayan Kup- pan) (South Arcot and Salem Distts.)	..	Agricultural labour, fishing.	..
	Padmasali (S. No. 60) . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
	Paiko Mali (S. No. 8) . . . . .	..	..	..
	Panikkar (S. No. 44) . . . . .	..	Toddy tappers, agri- cultural labourers.	..
	*Palli (S. No. 4) . . . . .	..	Agricultural labour fishing.	..
110	Pannayar, Panniyar . . . . .	..	Labour in salt pans . . . . .	..
	Panniyar (S. No. 110) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
	Parakavakulam (S. No. 82) . . . . .	..	Agricultural labour . . . . .	..
111	*Paravathara Jakulam, Pattanavan, Sambadavar.	..	Fishing . . . . .	..
112	*Parel Madivala . . . . .	..	Barbers, washermen . . . . .	..
	Parimalaikallan (S. No. 56) . . . . .	..	Land cowning . . . . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
113	Parivarbunt . . . .	..	Agricultural labour .	..
114	Patnulkaran . . . .	..	Weavers . . . .	..
	*Pattanavan (S. No. 111)	..	Fishing . . . .	..
115	Pattariyar (Tinnevelly and Madura Distts.).	..	Weavers . . . .	..
	Pattusali (S. No. 60) .	..	Weavers . . . .	..
	Paddamali (S. No. 84) .	..	..	..
116	*Peruvannan . . . .	..	Washermen . . . .	..
117	*Pico higunta . . . .	..	Beggars . . . .	..
	Pillamar (S. No. 44) .	..	Toddy tappers, agri- cultural labourers.	..
	Ponaka Domb (S. No. 8)	..	..	..
118	Poraya (Coimbatore Distt.)	..	Agricultural labour .	..
119	*Pulluvan (Malabar Distt.)	..	Astrologers, native doc- tors, priests, singers in snake grave.	..
120	*Punnan Vettuva Gowndar.	..	..	..
	Rajakambala Naicker (S. No. 16).	..	Agricultural labour .	..
121	Rajapur (S. Kanara) .	..	Traders, cultivators .	..
	Reddi Ganiga (S. No. 16).	..	Agricultural labour .	..
122	Rona . . . .	..	Cultivation . . . .	..
123	Sadhu Chetty, Teluga Chetty, 24 Manai Telugu Chetty.	..	Agricultural labour- ers, petty traders.	..
	24 Manai Telugu Chetty (S. No. 123).	..	Ditto . . . .	..
124	Sagara, Uppara . . . .	..	Salt manufacturers .	..
	Sarayakara (S. No. 44) .	..	Toddy tappers, agri- cultural labourers.	..
	Salc (S. No. 60) . . . .	..	Weavers . . . .	..
	Sali (S. No. 60) . . . .	..	Ditto . . . .	..
	Saliyan (S. No. 60) . . . .	..	Ditto . . . .	..
	*Sambadavar (S. No. 111)	..	Fishing . . . .	..
125	Scheduled Castes converted to Christianity. (Vide Note).	..	..	..
126	Sedar . . . .	..	Weavers . . . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
127	Seerithigoudu . . . . .	..	..	..
	Senapathulu (S. No. 60) . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
128	Senaikudyan, Senaithalaivar . . . . .	..	Betel vine cultivators, betel leaf sellers.	..
	Senaithalaivar (S. No. 126) . . . . .	..	Betel vine cultivators, betel leaf sellers.	..
129	Senia . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
	Setti Balija (S. No. 43) . . . . .	..	Toddy tappers . . . . .	..
	*Shanan (S. No. 41) . . . . .	..	Toddy tappers . . . . .	..
	Sheragara Kshatriya of S. Kanara. (S. No. 69).	..	Cultivators . . . . .	..
	Sirkudi Pillai (S. No. 44) . . . . .	..	Toddy tappers, agricul- tural labourers.	..
130	*Siviar (Coimbatore Distt.) . . . . .	..	Palanquin bearers . . . . .	..
131	*Sozhia Chetty . . . . .	..	Labourers . . . . .	..
132	Sourashtra . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
	Surithimar (S. No. 82) . . . . .	..	Agricultural labour . . . . .	..
	Telaga (S. No. 8) . . . . .	..	..	..
	Teluga Chetty (S. No. 123) . . . . .	..	Agricultural labourers and petty traders.	..
133	*Telunga Patty Chetty . . . . .	..	..	..
134	Thiyya (Malabar Distt.) . . . . .	..	Toddy tapping agri- culture.	..
	Thogata (S. No. 60) . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
135	Tholuva-Naicker, Vettala Karanaicker. . . . .	..	..	..
136	*Thottai Naickan . . . . .	..	..	..
137	*Thurpukapu . . . . .	..	Agricultural labour . . . . .	..
138	Tigala, Tigla . . . . .	..	Gardners . . . . .	..
	Tigla (S. No. 138) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
139	*Tondaman . . . . .	..	Lime burners . . . . .	..
	Ummia (S. No. 8) . . . . .	..	..	..
	Uppara (S. No. 124) . . . . .	..	Salt manufacturers . . . . .	..
140	Ural Goundan . . . . .	..	Agricultural labour . . . . .	..
	Urali Nair (S. No. 66) . . . . .	..	Masons-brick layers . . . . .	..
	*Vadde (S. No. 108) . . . . .	..	..	..

1	2	3	4	5
141	Vadugan Vaduvan . . . . .	..	Basket making with bamboo and date leaves.	..
	Vaduvan (S. No. 141)			
142	Vakkaliga . . . . .	..	Cultivation . . . . .	..
143	*Valan (N. Malabar) . . . . .	..	Fishermen . . . . .	..
144	*Valaian . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
145	Vaniar . . . . .	..	Oil pressers . . . . .	..
146	Vannan . . . . .	..	Washermen . . . . .	..
	*Vanniyakula Kshatriya (S. No. 4).	..	Agricultural labour . . . . .	..
147	*Vathi . . . . .	..	Barbers . . . . .	..
148	Valla Nagam . . . . .	..	Fishermen . . . . .	..
	*Veddai (S. No. 108) . . . . .	..	Earth work . . . . .	..
149	*Velakatalavan . . . . .	..	Barber . . . . .	..
150	*Vettikaran . . . . .	..	..	..
	Vettalakara Naickers (S. No. 135).	..	..	..
151	Veluthadan (Malabar) . . . . .	..	Washermen . . . . .	..
152	*Vettuva Gownder . . . . .	..	..	..
153	*Vilkurup . . . . .	..	Medicine & shampooing . . . . .	..
154	*Virakodi Vellalar . . . . .	..	Agricultural labourers . . . . .	..
	Viswa Brahmin (S. No. 57) . . . . .	..	Smithy . . . . .	..
	Viswakarma (S. No. 57) . . . . .	..	Smithy . . . . .	..
	*Vodde (S. No. 108) . . . . .	..	Earth work . . . . .	..
	Yadava (S. No. 40) . . . . .	..	Cattle rearing . . . . .	..
155	*Yoggeeswara	Agricultural labour
156	Sikh Scheduled Castes (Vide Note).

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List of Other Backward Classes as recommended by the Backward Classes Commission.

(NOTE.—*Indicates Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Ahir . . . .	..	Milkmen	53
2	*Badi (Nepali) . . . .	..	Drum makers	Not available
3	*Damai (Nepali) . . . .	..	Tailors	Ditto
4	*Gainey (Nepali) . . . .	..	Minstrels	Ditto
5	Halwai . . . .	..	Sweet makers	52
6	*Kami (Nepali) . . . .	..	Gold and blacksmithy. . . .	123
7	Kandu, Kanu . . . .	..	Grain parching	Not available
	Kanu (S. No. 7) . . . .	..	..	..
8	Kurmi . . . .	..	Cultivators	66
9	Lohar . . . .	..	Blacksmiths	3
10	*Loi . . . .	..	Cultivators and dis- tillers of liquor.	34,597
11	Napit, Nai . . . .	..	Barbers	Not available
	Nai (S. No. 11) . . . .	..	..	..
12	*Sarki (Nepali) . . . .	..	..	Not available
13	Sikh Harijan (<i>Vide</i> Note) . . . .	..	..	Ditto
14	Sonar, Sunar . . . .	..	Gold-smiths	18
	Sunar (S. No. 14) . . . .	..	..	..
15	Tamboli, Tamuli . . . .	..	Growing and selling of betel leaf.	Not available
	Tamuli (S. No. 15)
16	Teli (Nepali)	Oil pressers	Not available
17	Teli	Ditto	578

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List of Other Backward Classes as recommended by the Backward Classes Commission.

(NOTE.—*Indicates Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Agasa . . . . .	..	Washermen . . .	128,643
2	Bairagi . . . . .	..	Begar-Ascetics . .	417
3	Banjiga . . . . .	..	Mendicants . . .	2,10,425
4	Bawaji . . . . .	..	Mendicants . . .	39
5	*Beda . . . . .	..	Hunters	3,54,198
6	*Bhatraju . . . . .	..	Originally music teachers and later on turned to be street beggars.	1,413
7	*Budubudike . . . . .	..	Beggars and fortune tellers.	2,071
8	*Bundabestha . . . . .	..	Beggars . . . . .	..
9	Darzi . . . . .	..	Tailors and dyers .	28,370
10	*Dasari . . . . .	..	Mendicants . . .	7,126
11	Devanga . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
12	Doga . . . . .	..	..	5
13	*Dombara . . . . .	..	Acrobats and tumblers	5,291
14	*Gangakula . . . . .	..	Fishermen	2,04,793
15	Ganiga . . . . .	..	Oil pressers . . .	52,825
16	*Garadiga . . . . .	..	Snake charmers, mendicants.	507
17	Golla . . . . .	..	Cattle rearing . . .	2,36,400
18	*Gondaliga . . . . .	..	Street dancing and begging.	111
19	*Goniga . . . . .	..	Agriculturists and sack weavers.	1,558
20	Gosayi . . . . .	..	Beggars	573
21	Ghur . . . . .	..	..	..
22	Gujar . . . . .	..	Ditto	244
23	Gurkha . . . . .	..	..	17

1	2	3	4	5
24	Hallikar . . . .	..	Cultivators . . .	..
25	Idiga . . . .	..	Toddy tappers .	1,11,229
26	Jain . . . .	..	..	..
27	*Jetty . . . .	..	Acrobats and street beggars.	..
28	Jogi . . . .	..	Piggery and menials .	17,517
29	Kaniyar . . . .	..	Native doctors . .	..
30	*Kahar . . . .	..	Palanquin bearers .	114
31	Kasai . . . .	..	Butchers . . . .	..
32	Kathgara . . . .	..	Butchers . . . .	..
33	*Kumbara . . . .	..	Potters	57,169
34	Kunchitiga . . . .	..	Agriculturists and agricultural labourers.	1,61,103
35	Kuruba . . . .	..	Shepherds	5,12,187
36	Labbai . . . .	..	Petty traders . . .	16,996
37	Ladar . . . .	..	Formerly cavalry men and now traders and landowners.	1,620
38	Lingayod (only of rural areas).	..	Agriculturists and traders	10,65,325
39	Mahratta . . . .	..	Formerly soldiers and now agriculturists.	83,656
40	Malayali . . . .	..	..	..
41	*Maravan . . . .	..	Agricultural labourers	23
42	*Meda . . . .	..	Basket making, mat weaving, agricultural labour.	8,850
43	Multani . . . .	..	..	..
44	Nagartha . . . .	..	Merchants by profession. Agriculturists.	11,592
45	*Natuva . . . .	..	Professional dancers .	2,724
46	Nayar . . . .	..	..	..
47	Nayinda . . . .	..	Barbers	5,43,000
48	Neygi . . . .	..	Weavers	75,265
49	Padmasali, Sali, Saliyan, Swakulasali.	..	Weavers . . . .	..
50	*Pandaram . . . .	..	Village menials and priests in the temples of village deities.	1,029

1	2	3	4	5
51	*Parivar . . . . .	..	Palanquin bearers, agricultural labourers.	..
52	Pinjari . . . . .	..	Cotton cleaning .	14,639
53	Rachawar . . . . .	..	Painting and military service.	4,962
54	*Rawat . . . . .	..	Horse-breeders, coachmen.	192
55	Sadar . . . . .	..	Cultivators . . .	..
	Sali (S. No. 49) . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
	Saliyan (S. No. 49) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
56	Saniyar . . . . .	..	Ditto	72
57	*Satani . . . . .	..	Temple service . . .	31,929
	Swakulsali (S. No. 49) . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
58	Tigala, Vanniya Kula Kshatriya.	..	Agricultural labourers, gardeners.	1,06,566
59	*Uppara . . . . .	..	Salt manufacturers .	1,36,716
	Vanniyakula Kshatriya (S. No. 58).	..	Agricultural labourers, gardeners.	..
60	Viswakarma . . . . .	..	Smithy	1,98,565
61	Vokkaliga (only from Rural areas).	..	Land lords, agricultural labourers.	18,13,680
62	Yadava . . . . .	..	Shepherds	2,40,763
63	Scheduled Castes converted to Christianity (Vide Note).
64	Sikh Harijans (Vide Note)

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List of Other Backward Classes as recommended by the Backward Classes Commission

(NOTE.—* Indicates Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Agaria, Aghria . . .	अघरिया	Cultivators . . .	..
	Aghria (S. No. 1) . . .	..	Ditto . . .	35,609
2	Ahir, Gola, Golla, Mekala-Golla, Punnu Golla, and Yadava.	अहीर	Tending sheep and cattle.	..
3	Alia . . . . .	..	..	..
4	Amanatiya . . . . .	..	Agriculture and hunting.	..
5	Badasuda.	बडसुद	..	..
■	Badhai, Barhai, Bindhani, Sutradhar and Badhira.	बदेई	Carpenters . . .	..
	Badhira (S. No. 6) . . .	बधिर	Ditto . . .	..
7	*Balija, Oda Balija, Togara, Kita Balia.	..	..	..
■	Balasi . . . . .	..	Agriculture . . .	..
9	*Banka	बांका	..	..
10	Baraji, Barui	बरजि	Betel leaf growers . . .	..
	Barhai (S. No. 6) . . .	..	Carpenters . . .	..
11	Barika, Bhandhari, Beja, Napit and Nai.	बारिक	Barbers . . . . .	..
	Barui (S.No 10) . . .	वारूइ	Betel leaf growers . . .	..
12	Baruashankar	बरूशंकर	..	..
	Beja (S. No. 11) . . .	..	Barbers . . . . .	..
13	*Bentkar, Bentkars . . .	बेण्टकार	..	909
	*Bentkars (S. No. 13) . . .	बेण्टकार्स	..	..
14	Benata Oriya, Benati . . .	..	Agriculturists and petty traders.	..
	Benati (S. No. 14) . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
15	*Betera, Betra . . .	बेतरा	Basket-making . . .	..
	*Betra (S. No. 15) . . .	बत्रा	Ditto . . .	..
	Bhandari (S. No. 11) . . .	भण्डारि	..	..
16	Bhãja Purana . . .	..	..	..
17	Bhania . . .	भानिआ	..	1,650
18	*Bhatarajulu . . .	..	Beggars . . .	..
19	Bhatua . . .	भातुआ	..	..
20	Bhogam, Sani, Kalavantulu, Devdasi.	..	Some women have taken to prostitution.	..
21	*Bhokta . . .	भोकता	..	2,443
22	Bhujan . . .	भुजन	..	..
23	Bhuliya . . .	भुलिआ	Weavers . . .	43,790
	Bindhani (S. No. 6) . . .	बिन्धानी	Carpenters . . .	..
24	Birjhia . . .	बिरझिआ	Cultivators . . .	..
25	Bogada . . .	बोगडा	..	..
26	Bolodhia . . .	बलदिआ	..	..
27	Bondili . . .	..	Sweetmeat sellers, cultivators and bodyguards.	..
28	Botakusuda . . .	बाताकुसुद	..	..
29	Chik . . .	चिक	Weavers and basket makers.	730
30	Chitrakar . . .	..	Painting and making of dolls and images.	..
31	Chitra . . .	..	..	..
32	Churia . . .	चुरिआ	..	..
33	Dahalias . . .	दहलिया	..	..
34	Dangua . . .	डांगुआ	..	..
35	Darji . . .	दर्जी	Tailors . . .	2,863
36	*Dasari . . .	..	Beggars . . .	..
37	Dehuri . . .	दहुरि	..	..
38	Deons . . .	देओन	..	..
	Devadasi (S. No. 20) . . .	..	Some women have taken to prostitution.	..
39	Devangi, Dora . . .	..	Weavers . . .	..
40	Dhaner . . .	धानर	..	..
41	Dhobi (excluding those in S.C.).	..	Washermen . . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
42	Dhunia, Dhunkar . . .	..	Cotton Carders . . .	..
	Dhunkar (S. No. 42) . . .	..	Ditto . . .	..
	Dora (S. No. 39) . . .	..	Weavers . . .	..
43	*Dudekulu . . .	..	Cotton Carders . . .	..
44	Dumal . . .	दुमाल	..	97,336
45	Erragoala . . .	..	..	..
46	Fakir . . .	..	Mendicants . . .	..
47	Gajulu . . .	..	Bangle sellers . . .	..
48	Gamanatiya . . .	..	..	..
49	Ganju, Gunju . . .	..	..	..
50	Gingra . . .	गिगर	..	4,407
51	Girigiria . . .	गिरगिर्या	Fishermen . . .	..
	Gola (S. No. 2) . . .	गोला	Tending sheep and cattle.	..
	Golla (S. No. 2) . . .	गोल्ला	Ditto . . .	..
52	Goala, Gopala, and Gowdo.	..	..	..
	Gopala (S. No. 52) . . .	..	..	..
	Gowdo (S. No. 52) . . .	..	..	..
53	Gudia, Gurja . . .	गुडिआ	Confectioners . . .	1,79,777
	Gunju (S. No. 49) . . .	..	..	..
	Gurja (S. No. 53) . . .	..	Confectioners . . .	..
54	Grahapra Brahman, Jyotish, Sakaldarpee, Brahman.	..	Astrologers, Temple servants.	..
55	Habra . . .	हब्रा	..	..
56	Hajjam . . .	..	Barbers . . .	..
57	Hansi . . .	हंसी	..	..
58	*Jangalu . . .	..	..	..
59	Jhodia . . .	झोडिआ	..	..
60	Jogi, Yogi . . .	जोगी	Beggars . . .	16,857
61	Jolaha, Momin . . .	..	Weavers . . .	..
	Jyotish (S. No. 54) . . .	ज्योतिष	Astrologers and temple servants.	..
	Kalavantulu (S. No. 20) . . .	..	Some of their women have taken to prostitution.	..

1	2	3	4	5
62	Kalingi, Kintala-Kalingi	..	Agriculture	..
63	Kamar	कमार	Blacksmiths	120,372
64	Kammari	..	Ditto	..
65	Kanchari	..	..	..
66	Kandarpa	कन्दरपा	..	..
67	Kansari	..	Brassware makers	..
68	*Kapu, Koppulakapu	..	Agriculture labour	..
69	Kapudia	कापुडिआ	Cotton weaving	..
70	Karhara	करहरा	..	..
71	*Kartias	..	Fishermen	..
72	Kasab, Kasai, Quraishi	..	Butchers	..
	Kasai (S. No. 72)	..	Ditto	..
73	*Keot, Keuta, Keute, Keuata	..	Fishermen	..
	*Keuta (S. No. 73)	..	Ditto	..
	*Keuata (S. No. 73)	..	Ditto	..
	*Keute (S. No. 73)	..	Ditto	..
74	Khajirin	खजिरिआ	..	..
75	Khandual	खन्दुआल	..	..
76	*Khati	खटिआ	Fishermen	1,537
77	*Khatua	खटुआ	Ditto	17
78	Khondal	कोन्दाल	Cultivators	..
79	Khodra	खोदरा	Brassware maker	..
	Kintala Kalingi (S.No.62)	..	Agriculture	..
	*Kita Baliya (S. No. 7)	..	..	..
80	Koda	कोदा	..	..
81	Koli, Kuli	..	Weavers	..
82	Kollar	कोल्लार	..	..
	Kuli (S. No. 81)	..	Weavers	..
	*Koppula Kapu (S. No. 68)	..	Agriculture labourers	..
83	*Kuda	कुदा	Earth working	..
84	*Kudamatia	कुदामटिआ	..	..
85	*Kuduma	कुदुमा	..	..
86	Kulal, Kumbhar, Kumhar	..	Potters	..

1	2	3	4	5
87	Kulta	कुलत्त	Cultivation . . . . .	..
	Kumbhar (S. No. 86) . . . . .	..	Potters . . . . .	..
	Kumhar (S. No. 86) . . . . .	..	Ditto . . . . .	..
88	Kurmi . . . . .	..	Cultivators	1,11,883
89	Lakhra	लखरा	Cultivate Lac and prepare ornaments.	..
90	*Liari, Radhi, Niari . . . . .	..	Selling parched and flattened rice.	..
91	Lohar, Luhura	लोहार	Blacksmiths . . . . .	..
	Luhura (S. No. 91)	लुहुरा	Ditto . . . . .	..
92	*Machhua	माछुआ	Fishery . . . . .	..
93	Magadha, Magadhi-Goral	मागध	Cowherds . . . . .	..
	Magadhi Goral (S. No. 93)	मागधी गोराल	Ditto . . . . .	..
94	Maghi, Maghia	माघी	.. . . .	..
	Maghia (S. No. 94)	माघीया	.. . . .	..
95	Magura	मागुरा	.. . . .	..
96	Mahesya . . . . .	..	Fishery and boating . . . . .	..
97	Mahunta	माहुन्त	.. . . .	..
98	Mali	माली	Gardening . . . . .	..
99	Managali	मांगली	Barbers . . . . .	..
100	Manghli . . . . .	..	.. . . .	..
101	*Medara . . . . .	..	Mat-weavers . . . . .	..
	Mekala Golla (S. No. 2) . . . . .	..	Tending sheep and cattle.	..
102	*Minka	मिका	Wandering people . . . . .	..
	Momin (S. No. 61) . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
103	Nahar	नाहर	.. . . .	..
	Nai (S. No. 11) . . . . .	..	.. . . .	..
	Napit (S. No. 11) . . . . .	..	.. . . .	..
	*Niari (S. No. 90)	निआरी	Selling parched and flattened rice.	..
104	Noila	नोलिआ	Fishery . . . . .	..
105	Nuhura, Nuhuraj	नुहुरा	.. . . .	..
	Nuhuraj (S. No. 105) . . . . .	..	.. . . .	..
	*Oda Balija (S. No. 7) . . . . .	..	.. . . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
106	Omeyita. . . .	ओमेइत	Vegetable Growers . .	..
107	Padaria, Pamaria, Pandara	पादरिआ	..	..
	Pandara (S. No. 107) . .	..	..	..
	Pamaria (S. No. 107) . .	पामरिआ	..	..
108	Paiko	पाइक	Cultivation . . . .	..
109	Pal	पाल	..	..
110	Palli . . . .	..	Fishermen . . . .	..
111	Panguas	पंगुआ	..	..
112	Panjira	पांजिरा	..	..
113	Patara, Patra	पाटरा	Silk weavers	47,901
114	*Pathuria	पथुरिया	Stone workers . . . .	..
	Patra (S. No. 113)	पट्रा	Silk weavers . . . .	..
115	Pattasali, Pattusali . . . .	..	Weavers . . . .	..
	Pattusali (S. No. 115) . . . .	..	Weavers . . . .	..
116	Pita	पिता	..	..
	Punnu Golla (S. No. 2) . . . .	..	Tending sheep and cattle.	..
	Quraishi (S. No. 72) . . . .	..	Butchers . . . .	..
	*Radhi (S. No. 90)	राडि	Selling parched and flattened rice	..
117	Ranguni . . . .	..	Weavers . . . .	..
118	*Reddi, Reddika . . . .	..	Agriculturists . . . .	..
	*Reddika (S. No. 118) . . . .	..	Ditto . . . .	..
119	Rengi Reju . . . .	..	Dyers . . . .	..
120	Rona	रना	Agriculture	11,077
121	Routia	राऊतिआ	..	..
122	Sagarpesha	सागरपेसा	..	..
	Sakaldarpee Brahman (S. No. 54). . . .	..	Astrologers and Temple servants.	..
123	Sali, Salia . . . .	..	..	..
	Salia (S. No. 123) . . . .	..	..	..
	Sani (S. No. 20) . . . .	..	Some of their women have taken to prostitution.	..
124	*Sankhari	संखारी	Shank-shell dealers . .	..
125	*Sansi . . . .	..	Stone cutters . . . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
126	Sauntis	साऊंटिआ	..	29,165
127	*Segidi . . . .	..	Toddy sellers and distillers of arrack.	..
128	Sikh Harijans (Vide Note)	..	..	..
129	Sinkos	सिंकस	..	..
130	Sithula	सिथुल	..	..
131	Sitria	सितरिआ	Utensil-making . .	..
132	Situlia	सितुलिआ	..	..
133	Suda	सुद	Cultivation . . .	92,571
134	Sukuli, Tanti . . . .	..	Weavers . . . .	..
135	Sulia	सुलिआ	..	..
136	Sundi	सुन्डि	Preparation and sale of liquor.	..
	Sutradhar (S. No. 6)	सुत्रधर	Carpenters . . .	..
137	Tamili	तामिली	Betel nut growers .	..
138	Tamadia Purana . . . .	..	..	..
139	Tana	तान	..	..
	Tanti (S. No. 134)	तान्ति	Weavers	1,93,284
140	Telaga . . . .	..	Cultivators . . .	..
141	Telenga Pamola . . . .	..	Nomadic . . . .	..
142	Teli	तेली	Oil-pressers . . .	3,62,195
143	Thatari	थटारि	Utensil makers . .	..
144	Thuria	थोरिआ	Traders . . . .	..
145	Tiyaro	तिअर	Fishery . . . .	..
	*Togara (S. No. 7)	..	..	..
146	Velama . . . .	..	Agriculturists . .	..
147	Verna Golla	वर्न गोला	..	..
148	Vina Tulavina	भिणा तुलाभिणा	Carding . . . .	..
	Yadava (S. No. 2)	..	Tending sheep and cattle.	..
	Yogi (S. No. 60)	योगी	Beggars . . . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
17	*Ghasiara . . .	घसियारा	Grass cutters . . .	(Not available)
18	Ghosi . . .	घोसी	Cowherds . . .	242
19	Gowala . . .	गवाला	Cowherd and shepherd	(Not available)
20	*Hari . . .	हारी	..	Ditto
21	Hajjam, Nai . . .	हज्जाम	Barbers . . .	36,128
	*Heri (S. No. 2) . . .	..	..	(See Aheri)
22	*Jhatkia, Kasab . . .	..	Butchers . . .	4,389 (Only kasab).
	*Jhinwar (S. No. 13) . . .	झीवर	Fishermen . . .	47,889
23	Julaha . . .	जुलाहा	Weavers . . .	48,103
	*Kahar (S. No. 13) . . .	कहार	Watermen and palan- quin bearers.	3,823
24	*Kanchan, Kanjar . . .	कचन	Some of their women have taken to prostitution.	241
25	*Kangerha . . .	..	Surgeons . . .	(Not available)
	*Kanjar (S. No. 24) . . .	कंजर	..	(See Kanchan)
	*Kasab (S. No. 22) . . .	कसाब	Butchers . . .	(See Jhatkia)
26	Kasera, Tamera, Thathera	कसेरा	Brass vessel makers . . .	404 (Only thathera).
27	Khatik(Only Suryavanshi)	खटीक	..	(Not available)
28	Kohli . . .	कोहली	..	1,375
29	Kumhar . . .	कुम्हार	Potters . . .	57,794
30	Kurmi . . .	कुर्मी	Agricultural labour . . .	89
31	Lakhera, Manihar . . .	लखेरा	..	1,869 (Only Manihar)
32	*Lalbegi . . .	लालबगी	..	(Not available)
33	Lohar . . .	लोहार	Blacksmith . . .	35,301
34	Lubana . . .	लुबाणा	Pack-carriers . . .	879
35	*Madari . . .	मदारी	Jugglers and acrobats . . .	..
36	Mahatam, Rai . . .	महातम	..	261 (Only Mahatam)
	*Mallah (S. No. 13) . . .	मल्लाह	..	2,261
	Manihar (S. No. 31) . . .	मनिहार	..	(See Lakhera)
37	Mina	Fishing . . .	1,306
38	*Mirasi . . .	मिरासी	Menial duties . . .	22,534

PUNJAB

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Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Acharaj, Panchal Brahman, Changar.	अचारज, पंचाल ब्राह्मण, चंगड़	..	..
2	*Aheria, Aheri Heri. Naik, Thori, Turi.	अहेरिया, अहेरी, हेरी नायक, थोरी, तूरी	..	12,571
	*Aheri (S. No. 2)	अहेरी	..	(See Aheria.)
3	Ahir	अहीर	Cultivators	1,52,584
4	Badhi, Barhai, Dhiman Brahman.	बाढी, बढई धीमन ब्राह्मण	Carpenters	(Not available)
5	Bagaria	बागरिया	..	86
	Barhai (S. No. 4)	बढई	Carpenters	(Not available)
6	Batwal	बटवाल	..	9,283
7	*Barra	बर्रा	Beggars	(Not available)
8	Barwar	बरवार	..	Ditto
9	Bahari	बहारी	Agriculturists	Ditto
10	Banoudhiya Rajputs	..	Weavers	Ditto
11	Barai, Tamboli	बरई, तम्बोली	Betel leaf growers	Ditto
12	Baragi, Bairagi	बैरागी	Religious beggars	31,807
	Bairagi (S. No. 12)	बैरागी	Ditto	(See Baragi)
13	Batterha	बटेरा	House building	(Not available)
14	Bathi	बाठी	Agriculturists	Ditto
15	Beta, Hensi, Hesi	बेटा, हेंसी	..	650
16	*Bhand	भंड	Story tellers, buffoons etc.	140
17	*Bharbhunja	भड़भूजा	Grain roasters	6,102
18	*Bhanjara, Dhai	भंजरा, ढाई

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19	Bhati, Chang, Ghirath	भाटी, छांग, गीरथ	Cowherds and shepherds (Not available)	
20	Bhat, Bhatra, Ramaiya.	भाट, भटरा, रमैया	Fortune tellers . . .	10,963
	Bhatra (S. No. 20)	भटरा	Ditto . . .	(See Bhat)
21	Bhojki	भोजकी	Priests and beggars . . .	1,219
22	Bhuhalia, Lohar	भुआलिया, लोहार	Blacksmiths . . .	(Not available)
23	Bhura Brahman	भूरा ब्राह्मण	..	Ditto
24	Biloch	बिलोच	Thieves and cattle lifters.	13,918
25	Botchra	बोटेहरा	Agriculturists . . .	(Not available)
26	Brahman (in Kangra District).	ब्राह्मण (कांगड़ा जिले में)	..	Ditto
27	Bhujru	भुजरु	..	Ditto
	Chang (S. No. 19)	छांग	Agriculturists . . .	12,144
	Changar (S. No. 1)	चंगड़	..	..
28	*Charg	चार्ग	Burn dead bodies . . .	(Not available)
29	*Chirimar	चिड़ीमार	Bird catchers . . .	250
30	Chhimba, Chhipi	छिम्बा, छीपी	Dyers, printers and tailors.	48,910
	Chhipa (S. No. 30)	छीपा	Ditto . . .	(See Chhimba)
31	Dakaut	डाकौत	Astrologers . . .	(Not available)
32	Daiya	दईया	..	(Not available)
	Darpi (S. No. 20)	दर्पी	..	Ditto
33	*Dhanak	धानक	General scavenging and weaving.	81,544
	*Dhai (S. No. 18)	ढाई	..	(Not available)
34	Dheh . . . .		..	..
35	*Dhimar, Dhinwar, Jhinwar, Kahar, Mallah.	धीमर, धीवर, झीवर, कहार, मल्लाह	Fishermen, water carriers and palanquin bearers.	14,273
	Dhiman Brahman (S. No. 4)	धीमान ब्राह्मण	Carpenters . . .	14,273
	*Dhinwar (S. No. 35)	धीवर	Fishermen	

1	2	3	4	5
36	Dhobi	धोबी	Washermen . . .	46,835
37	*Dhogri	ढोगरी	Wood cutting . .	2,430
38	*Dhosali	दोसाली	Leaf plate makers .	358
39	Faqir	फकीर	Beggars	1,76,033
40	Gadaria	गड़रिया	Rear sheep and goats	22,798
41	Gauria, Gwar, Gwaria	गौरिया, ग्वार, ग्वारिया	..	(Not available)
42	*Ghai	घाई	Grass cutters . .	22
43	*Ghasiara	घसियारा	Grass cutters . .	(Not available)
	Ghirath (S. No. 19)	घीरथ	Agriculturists . .	1,43,044
44	Ghosi	घोसी	Milkmen	3,124
45	Gwala	ग्वाला	Cowherds and shepherds	..
	Gwar (S. No. 41)	ग्वार	..	Ditto
	Gwaria (S. No. 41)	ग्वारिया	..	Ditto
46	Hadi	हाड़ी	Brick makers, earth carriers and vegetable carriers, etc.	4,114
47	Hajjam, Nai	हज्जाम, नाई	Barbers . . . .	..
48	*Hali	हाली	Skinners and dressers of hides among gaddi tribe.	2,210
	*Heri (S. No. 2)	हेरी	..	(See Aheri)
	Hensi (S. No. 15)	हेंसी	..	(See Beta)
	Hesi (S. No. 15)	हेसी	..	Ditto
49	Jhangra Brahman, Khati	झंगराब्राह्मण, खाती	Carpenters . . .	(Not available)
50	Jogi Nath	जोगी नाथ	Religious Beggars .	54,325
	*Jhinwar (S. No. 35)	झींवर	Fishermen	(Not available)
51	*Julaha (excluding those in Scheduled Castes).	जुलाहा (हरिजनों को छोड़कर)	..	..
	*Kahar (S. No. 35)	कहार	Watermen & palanquin bearers.	62,340
52	*Kangehra	कंधेरा	Surgeons	(Not available)
53	*Kanjhar, Kanchan, Rachband.	कंजर, कंचन	..	2,602
	*Kanchan (S. No. 53)	कंचन	..	(See Kanjar)

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54	Kamboj, Kamboh . . .	कम्बोज, कम्बोह	Cultivators . . .	49,345
	Kamboh (S. No. 54) . . .	कम्बोह	Ditto . . .	(See Kamboj)
55	*Kassab	कस्सब	Butchers	56,754
	Khati (S. No. 49) . . .	खाती	Carpenters	(Not available)
56	Kohli	कोहली	Agriculture	Ditto
57	*Kuchband	कुचबन्द	Brush binders	Ditto
58	Kulait	कुलैत	..	Ditto
59	*Kumhar, Prajapati . . .	कुम्हार, प्रजापति	Potters	2,44,723
60	Kurmi	कुर्मी	..	1,057
61	*Labana, Vanzara . . .	लबाणा	Pack carriers	10,145
62	Lakhera, Manihar . . .	लखेरा मणिहार	Lac bangle makers and sellers.	..
	Lohar (S. No. 22) . . .	लोहार	Blacksmiths	1,40,115
63	*Madari	मदारी	Jugglers and acrobats	(Not available)
64	*Mahatam, Rai Sikh . . .	महातम, राई सिख	Hunters and cultiva- tors.	9,568
65	Mali, Phool Mali, Saini . .	माली, फुल- माली, सेनी	Gardeners and vege- table growers.	64,976
	*Mallah (S. No. 35) . . .	मल्लाह	Boatmen	21,052
	Manihar (S. No. 62) . . .	मणिहार	Lac bangle makers and sellers.	7,751
66	Merh Rajput	मेढ राजपूत	Goldsmiths	(Not available)
67	Mina	मीणा	..	1,489
68	*Mirasi	मिरासी	Beggars	79,060
69	Mochi	मोची	Leather workers	1,31,176
70	Mussavar	मुसव्वर	Painters	(Not available)
71	*Nar	नार	..	21
	Nai (S. No. 47)	नाई	Barbers	1,53,518
	*Naik (S. No. 2)	नायक	..	8,088
72	*Nalband	नालबन्द	Horse-shoe benders . . .	(Not available)

1	2	3	4	5
73	Noongar	नूनगर	..	4,688
	Panchal Brahman (S. No. 1)	पांचाल ब्राह्मण	..	(Not available)
	Phool Mali (S. No. 65)	फूलमाली	Gardeners . . . . .	..
74	Pinja	पिन्जा	Cotton carders	9,195
	*Prajapati (S. No. 59)	प्रजापति	Potters . . . . .	..
	Ramaiya (S. No. 20)	रमैया	Fortune tellers . . . . .	..
	*Rai Sikh (S. No. 64)	राई सिख	Hunters & cultivators . . . . .	..
75	Rajput (only in Kangra District).	राजपूत (केवल कांगड़ा में)	Agriculture . . . . .	..
76	*Rehar, Rehara, Rer	रेहड़, रेहाड़ा, रेड़	..	425
	*Rehara (S. No. 76)	रेहाड़ा	..	(See Rehar)
	*Rer (S. No. 76)	रेड़	..	Ditto
	Saini (S. No. 65)	सैनी	..	78,625
77	*Shorgir	शोरगिर	Collect salt from earth.	1,444
78	*Sikligar	सिकलीगर	Armourers and metal burnishers.	185
79	*Singhiwala, Singhikaut	सींगीवाला, सींगीकौत	Take out impure blood from the body by means of a hollow horn.	(Not available)
	*Singhikaut (S. No. 79)	सींगीकौत	..	Ditto.
80	Soi	सोई	Tailors	Ditto
	Tamboli (S. No. 11)	तम्बोली	Betel leaf growers	318
81	Tarkhan	तरखान	Carpenters	1,79,500
82	Teli	तेली	Oil pressers	1,94,871
83	Thanwin	थानवीं	Agriculturists	(Not available)
84	Thathera, Kasera	ठठेरा	Copper & brass vessel makers.	3,608
	*Thori (S. No. 2)	थोरी	..	3,208
	*Turi (S. No. 2)	तूरी	..	(Not available)
85	Sikhs (vide Note)

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86	Beria	बेरिया
	Kasera (S. No. 84) . .	कसेरा	Brass utensil makers .	..
87	Mewati	मेवाती	..	1,54,790
	*Rachband (S. No. 53) .	राछबन्द	Manufacturers of weaver's (Not available) comb.	
88	Taga	तगा	Beggars and labourers	15,490
	*Vanzara (S. No. 61) .	बन्जारा	Pack-carriers



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Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Ahir	अहीर	Agriculturists . .	2,47,356
2	Acharaj	अचारज	Funeral priests . .	1,360
3	*Ad-Bhopa	आड़-भोपा	Astronomers and ghost exorcisers.	(Not available)
4	*Bari	बारी	Leaf-plate makers .	2,639
5	Babar, Nai, Ved, Hajam .	बाबर	Barbers . . . . .	..
6	*Banjara, Baldia	बन्जारा, बाल्दिया	Pack-carriers . . .	40,970 (Figures for Banjara only)
7	Baseda	बसेड़ा	..	(Not available)
8	Baldhia Bhat	बाल्दिया भाट	Bards	Ditto
9	*Baori	बाओरी	Agriculturists . . .	30,489
10	*Badera	बड़ेरा	..	2,095
11	*Bairagi, Jogi	बैरागी, जोगी	Religious beggars .	..
12	*Bagaria	बागड़िया	Cultivators and rope makers, etc.	10,660
	*Baldia (S. No. 6) . . . .	..	Pack-Carriers . . .	..
13	*Beria, Bedia	बेरिया, बेड़िया	Ex-criminal tribes, agriculturists.	4,799
	*Bedia (S. No. 13)	बेड़िया	Ditto . . . . .	..
14	*Bhunvaya, Bhavaiya, Bhawari	भुवैया, भवैया, भावरी	..	(Not available)
	*Bhavaiya (S. No. 14) . .	भवैया	Indigenous Actors .	246
	*Bhawari (S. No. 14) . .	भावरी	..	(Not available)
15	Bhavasara	भांवसार	Weavers	Ditto
16	Bhat, Charan	भाट, चारण	Bards and genealogists	54,057

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17	*Bhatiara	भटियारा	Muslim Cooks . .	1,971
18	*Bhishti, Sakka	भिश्ती, सक्का	Muslim watermen . .	32,510
19	Bharbhunja	भडभून्जा	Gram parchers . .	4,945
20	Bhagat	भगत	Ghost exorcisers . .	771
21	Bharawa	भरावा	..	19
22	Bhojak, Sevak	भोजक, सेवक	Temple servants . .	3,682
23	Bhiro	भिरो	..	(Not available)
24	Bhoi, Sagarvanshi Mali, Mali, Saini.	भोई, सागर-वंशी माली, माली, सैनी	Vegetable growers . .	14,040 (only Bhoi)
25	Boldari	बोलदारी	Earth workers . .	(Not available)
26	Chhipa	छीपा	Dyers and printers . .	66,747
27	*Chandor	चन्दोर	Leather workers . .	(Not available)
28	*Chamta	चामटा	Ditto . .	739
29	*Cheeta	छीता	Dyers and printers . .	13,257
30	Chakar, Daroga, Hazuri, Lambuat.	चाकर, दरोगा, हजूरी, लाम्बुआत	Personal attendants . .	92,538 (Only Chakar)
	Charan (S. No. 16)	चारण	Bards, genealogists and herdsmen.	48,259
31	Chaniatia, Daya Maha-Brahman, Gujargaod Brahman.	छनियातिया, दया महा-ब्राह्मण, गुजरगाड ब्राह्मण		(Not available)
32	Churigar, Lakhera	चुडीगर, लखेरा	Lac bangle makers	Ditto
33	*Damami	दमामी	Drummers . .	(Not available)
	Daroga (S. No. 30)	दरोगा	Personal attendants . .	2,40,393
34	*Dakot, Garo, Gakudia	डाकौत, गरो, गाकौडिया	Fortune tellers . .	37,105
35	Darzi	दर्जी	Tailors	64,325
36	Dangi	डांगी	..	69,082
	Daya Maha Brahman (S. No. 31).	दया महा-ब्राह्मण	..	(Not available)

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37	*Dhanak, Dhanka, Dhanuk, Gokhi.	धानक धानुक, गोखी	Grooms and menial servants.	23,831
	*Dhanka (S. No. 37) . . .	धारणका	Ditto . . .	(See Dhanak)
	*Dhanuk (S. No. 37) . . .	धानुक	Ditto . . .	Ditto
38	*Dhandi, Dhadhi . . .	ढांडी, ढाढी	..	9,444 (including Mirasi)
	*Dhadhi (S. No. 38).	ढाडी	..	(See Dhandi)
39	*Dholi, Nagarchi . . .	ढोली	Musicians and drummers	71,521
40	*Dhobi	धोबी	Washermen . . .	83,162
41	Fakir	फकीर	Muslim beggars . . .	74,468
42	*Gadaria	गड़रिया	Shepherds . . .	32,849
43	*Gayari	गायरी	..	(Not available)
44	Gadic Lohar, Gadolia Lohar, Lohar.	गाडिक लोहार, गडोलिया लोहार, लोहार	Wandering Blacksmiths.	3,315
	*Garo (S. No. 34) . . .	गरो	..	(Not available)
45	*Gawaria.	गावरिया	Makers of combs out of wood and horn.	9,926
	Gadolia Lohar (S. No. 44)	गडोलिया लोहार	Wandering black-smiths.	(See Gadic Lohar)
	*Garudia (S. No. 34)	गरुडिया	..	(See Dakot)
46	Ghanchani, Rangaswami . . .	घंचानी, रंगास्वामी	..	(Not available)
47	*Ghasiara	घसियारा	Grass cutters . . .	49
48	Ghanchi, Ghancha, Ghanacha.	घान्ची, घान्चा, घानाचा	Cowherds	25,531
	Ghancha (S. No. 48)	घान्चा	..	(See Ghanchi)
	Ghanacha (S. No. 48)	घनाचा	..	Ditto
49	Ghosi	घोसी	Cowherds	2,558
	*Gokhi (S. No. 37) . . .	गोखी	Menial servants and labourers.	(Not available)
	Gujar Goad Brahman (S. No. 31).	गुजरगौड़ ब्राह्मण	..	Ditto
	Hajam (S. No. 5) . . .	हजाम	Barbers	Ditto

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50	*Halalkhor . . .	हलालखोर	Sweepers . . .	(Not available)
	Hazuri (S. No. 30) . . .	हजूरी	Personal attendants . . .	Ditto
51	*Hela . . .	हेला	Muslim sweepers . . .	1,022
52	Jagyasi Bhagat . . .	जग्यासी भगत	Temple servants . . .	Ditto
	*Jogi (S. No. 11) . . .	जोगी	Religious beggars . . .	63,673
53	Julaha . . .	जुलाहा	Weavers . . .	28,877
54	Kachhi . . .	कच्छी	Vegetable growers . . .	82,241
55	Kassab, Qassab, Kasai . . .	कसब, कासब, कसाई	Butchers . . .	..
	Kasai (S. No. 55) . . .	कसाई	Ditto . . .	33,729
56	*Kabad, Kabadia, Kamad, Kamadia.	काबड़, काबड़िया, कामड़, कामड़िया	Gurus and Sadhus of Meghwals.	(Not available)
	*Kabadia (S. No. 56) . . .	काबड़िया	Ditto . . .	Ditto
	*Kamad (S. No. 56) . . .	कामड़	Ditto . . .	Ditto
	*Kamadia (S. No. 56) . . .	कामड़िया	Ditto . . .	Ditto
57	Kalal . . .	कलाल	Distillers and liquor sellers.	57,737
58	*Kahar . . .	कहार	Water carriers and palanquin bearers.	14,828
59	Kanvi . . .	कन्वी	Agriculturists . . .	(Not available)
60	*Kangi, Kangshia . . .	कांगी, कांगशिया	Comb-makers . . .	2,814
61	Kalbi, Kulbi . . .	कल्बी, कुल्बी	Cultivators . . .	(Not available)
	*Kangshia (S. No. 60) . . .	कांगशिया	Comb-makers . . .	(See Kangi)
62	Karad . . .	कराड़	..	(Not available)
63	Kasera, Thathera . . .	कसेरा, ठठेरा	Brass and Copper vessel makers.	Ditto
64	*Kathodia, Kherwa . . .	काथोड़िया, खेरवा	Catechu makers . . .	Ditto
65	Kharol . . .	खरोल	..	22,882
66	Khant . . .	खांट	Agriculture . . .	(Not available)
	*Khorwa (S. No. 64) . . .	खोरवा	..	Ditto
67	Kunjra . . .	कुंजड़ा	Vegetable sellers . . .	Ditto

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68	*Kumbhar . . .	कुम्हार	Potters . . .	3,98,732
	Kulbi (S. No. 61) . .	कुल्बी	Cultivation . . .	(Not available)
69	Khurdaltā . . .	खुरडाल्टा	..	Ditto
70	Labana . . .	लवाणा	Pack- carriers . . .	Ditto
	Lakhera (S. No. 32) . .	लखेरा	Lac bangle makers . .	Ditto
	Lambuat (S. No. 30) . .	लाम्बुआत	Personal attendants . .	(See Chakar)
	Lohar (S. No. 44) . .	लोहार	Blacksmiths . . .	(See Gadik Lohar)
71	Lodha . . .	लोधा	Agriculturists . . .	- 12,086
72	Maha Brahman . . .	महाब्राह्मण	Funeral priests . .	1,360
	Mali (S. No. 24) . .	माली	Gardeners and vegetable growers.	4,98,018
73	Mahawat . . .	महावत	Elephant drivers . .	762
74	*Mehara . . .	मेहरा	Muslim sweepers . .	156
75	*Merasi, Miras . . .	मेरासी, मिरास	Singers, dancers and musicians.	9,930
76	Mer . . .	मेर	Agriculturists . . .	778
77	Merat . . .	मेरात	Ditto . . .	(Not available)
78	Mena (Outside Alwar, Bundi, Bharatpur, Dholpur and Udaipur division excluding Jahajpur Tehsil).	मीणा	Agriculturists and watchmen.	Ditto
	*Miras (S. No. 75) . .	मिरास	Singers and dancers . .	..
79	*Mogia . . .	मोगिया	Agriculturists . . .	6,369
	*Nagarchi (S. No. 39) . .	नगाड़ची	Musicians and drummers.	(Not available)
	Nai (S. No. 5) . . .	नाई	Barbers . . .	1,80,742
80	Naik . . .	नायक	..	1,24,711
81	*Niaria . . .	नियारिया	..	5,892
82	Nilgar, Rangrez . . .	नीलगर, रंगरेज	Dyers . . .	(Not available)
83	*Od . . .	ओड़	Earth workers . . .	11,886
84	*Payak . . .	पायक	..	277
85	Patwa, Phadal . . .	पटवा, फडाल	Silk braid makers . .	7,874
	Phadal (S. No. 85) . .	फडाल	..	580

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86	Pinjara	पिन्जारा	Cotton scutchers . . .	35,821
	Qassab (S. No. 55) . . .	कासब	Butchers	(Not available)
	Rangaswami (S. No. 46) . . .	रंगास्वामी	..	Ditto
	Rangrez (S. No. 82) . . .	रंगरेज	..	(Included in Chhipa)
87	Rawat	रावत	Agriculturists . . .	44,255
88	Rai	राई .	..	(Not available)
	*Rehbari	रैबारी	Cattle breeders . . .	1,18,525
89	*Sakka (S. No. 18) . . .	सक्का	Muslim watermen . .	(Not available)
	Sagarvanshi Mali (S. No. 24)	सागरवंशी माली	Vegetable growers . .	..
	Saini (S. No. 24) . . .	सैनी	Ditto . . . .	..
90	*Sad, Santia	साद, सान्तिया	..	35,240
	*Santia (S. No. 90) . . .	सान्तिया	Castrators or grinders of stone and beggars.	(Not available)
91	*Satiaya, Sindhi	सतिवाया, सिन्धी	..	..
92	*Sehar, Sonsi	सेहर, सोंसी	Cultivators . . . .	..
	Sevak (S. No. 22)	सेवक	Servants	Ditto
	*Sindhi (S. No. 91)	सिन्धी	..	20,011
93	*Sikligar	सिकलीगर	Armour makers . . .	7,784
94	Sirkiwala	सिरकीवाला	Grass and bamboo curtain makers.	(Not available)
	*Sonsi (S. No. 92)	सोंसी	Ex. Criminal tribes . .	Ditto
95	Sutar	सुतार	Carpenters	56,399
96	Tamboli	तम्बोली	Betel growers	8,286
97	Teli	तेली	Oil pressers	1,08,591
	Thathera (S. No. 63) . . .	ठठेरा	Brass vessel makers . .	6,513
	Ved (S. No. 5)	वेद	Barbers	(See Barbers)
98	Sikhs (<i>vide</i> Note)
99	Multani	मुलतानी	..	247

SAURASHTRA

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Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	*Adodia	अडोडिया	Crimes	(Not available)
2	Ahir	अहीर	Cowherds	1,38,194
3	Arab	अरब	Soldiers, now watchmen	6,646
4	Baloch (if settled in Saurashtra).	बलोच (जो सौराष्ट्र में बस चुके हैं)	..	..
5	Bawa	बावा	Beggars of religious order.	(Not available)
	Barber (S. No. 31)	बारबर	Barbers	Ditto
6	Bara	बारा	..	Ditto
7	Beparla	बेपारला	..	Ditto
8	Bandhara Khati	बन्धाराखाती	..	Ditto
9	*Bhand	भांड	Beggars, mimics to ventriloquists.	Ditto
	Bhavaya (S. No. 81)	भवैया	Actors of religious dramas.	Ditto
10	Bharwad (outside Nesses area in the forests of Alech, Gir & Barada).	भरवाड़	Shepherds or cattle keepers.	1,58,724
	Bhopa Rabari (S. No. 70)	भोपा रबारी	Cattle rearers	Ditto
11	*Bhil	भील	Peasants, labourers, watchmen.	2,390
12	Bhilaya	भिलाया	..	(Not available)
13	Bhati Rajput, Karadia Nardoda.	..	Petty services	Ditto
	Bhoyan (S. No. 14)	भोयान	Litter bearers, palanquin bearers, fishermen.	Ditto
	Bhoyah (S. No. 14)	भोयाह	Ditto	Ditto
	Bhoy (S. No. 14)	भोय	Ditto	Ditto
14	*Bhoi, Bhoyan, Bhoyah, Bhoy.	भोई, भोयान भोया, भोय	Ditto	4,582
15	Chamadia Khatki	चामडिया खटकी	Tanners and leather workers.	(Not available)

1	3	4	5
16	*Chamtha . . . चामथा	Dancers and dealers in handmills.	(Not available)
17	Chunera . . . चुनारा	Masons . . .	Ditto
18	Charan, Maldhari (outside Nesses area in the forests of Alech, Gir and Barada).	Graziers, bards, genealogists.	27,056
19	*Chunvalia Koli, Chunvalia.	Thieving . . .	(Not available)
	Chunvadia (S. No. 19)	Ditto . . .	Ditto
20	Dabgar . . . डाबगर	Tanners and leather workers.	Ditto
21	*Daffer . . . डफेर	Thieving . . .	Ditto
22	Darzi . . . दर्जी	Tailors . . .	Ditto
23	Depala, Dhobi . . . देपाला, धोबी	House servants, artisans, shopkeepers.	Ditto
	Dhobi (S. No. 23)	..	..
24	*Gadhai . . . गधई	Carriers on the back of donkeys.	(Not available)
25	*Gadlia . . . गाडलिया	Cattle dealers, rope makers.	Ditto
26	Galkata . . . गलकटा	..	Ditto
27	Gavli . . . गावली	Milkmen . . .	Ditto
28	*Garudi . . . गारूडी	Jugglers and snake charmers.	18
29	Ghanchi, Ghancha . . . घान्चो, घान्चा	Oil pressers and sellers	(Not available)
	Ghancha (S. No. 29)	Ditto	Ditto
30	*Ghantia . . . घण्टिया	Making and selling grinding stone, selling bullocks.	Ditto
31	Hajam, Nhavi, Nai, Barber	Barbers . . .	51,895
	हज्जाम नाहवी, नाई, बारबर		
32	Hati . . . हाटी	Soldiers . . .	(Not available)
33	*Jachak Mir Dhadhi . . . जाचक मीरदाडी	Beggars . . .	Ditto
34	Jat . . . जाट	Cultivators . . .	1,917
35	Jogi Vadi . . . जोगी वाडी	Beggars . . .	1,822

1	2	3	4	5
36	Jilaya	जिलाया	..	(Not available)
37	*Kangashia	कन्गाशिया	Comb sellers	Ditto
38	Kanbi	कणबी	Cultivators	Ditto
	Karadia Nardoda (S. No. 13)	करडिया नरदौड़ा	Petty services	Ditto
39	Kadia	कडिया	Masons	Ditto
40	Kasai	कसाई	Butchers	7,565
41	Khalasi	खलासी	Sailors	(Not available)
42	Khant	खान्ट	Marauders, agricul- turers.	Ditto
43	Kharak	खरक	Cultivators	Ditto
44	Kharwa	खारवा	Sailors, bridge makers, cultivators.	15,337
45	Khasia	खसिया	Sea ferrying	(Not available)
46	Khawas	खँवास	Personal attendants, cultivators, day labo- rers.	30,048
47	Koli	कौली	Fishermen	5,23,290
48	Kumbhar, Prajapati	कुम्हार, प्रजापति	Potters	41,299
49	*Langha	लंधा	Singers	(Not available)
50	Lodha	लोधा	Cart drivers, thatch- ers, husbandmen.	Ditto
51	Luharia, Luvaria, Lunva- ria, Lubar.	लहारिया, लुवारिया, लुहार	Blacksmiths	Ditto
	Luvaria (S. No. 51)	लुवारिया	Ditto	Ditto
	Lunvaria (S. No. 51)	लुनवारिया	Ditto	Ditto
	Luhar (S. No. 51)	लहार	Ditto	Ditto
52	*Madari	मदारी	Jugglers and snake char- mers.	Ditto
53	*Madhvia	माधविया	Genealogists, bards, singers.	Ditto
54	Maiya, Mahiya	मईया, महिया	Soldiers and labourers	Ditto
	Mahiya (S. No. 54)	महिया	Ditto	Ditto
55	Makrani	मकरानी	Soldiers	4,825
56	Mari	मारी	Tailors	(Not available)

1	2	3	4	5
57	Mali	माली /	Gardeners and vegetable growers.	5,376
58	Marwada	मारवाडा	..	(Not available)
	Maldhari (S. No. 18)	मालधारी	Graziers, bards, genealogists.	Ditto
59	Matva	मटवा	Milk sellers	(Not available)
60	Mer	मेर	Soldiers & cultivators	Ditto
61	*Miyana, Sanghaai	मियाणा	Crimes	7,658
62	Mochi	मोची	Leather workers	(Not available)
63	*Munda	मुन्डा	Beggars	Ditto
64	*Nat-Bajania Bajigar	नट-वजानिया बाजीगर	Acrobats and musicians	Ditto
65	*Nathbawa	नाथबावा	Beggars of religious order.	Ditto
	Nhavi	न्हावी	Barbers	Ditto
66	*Od	ओड	Workers in leather and stone.	671
67	*Padhar, Padhiar. (outside Jhalawad District).	पढार (झालावाड जिला से बाहर)	Agriculturists	(Not available)
	Padhiar (S. No. 67)	पडियार	Ditto	Ditto
68	Pakhali-Bhisti	पखाली-भिस्ती	Water carriers	Ditto
69	Pinjara	पिजारा	*Cotton cleaners	9,616
	Prajapati (S. No. 48)	प्रजापती	Potters . . . .	..
70	Rabari, Bhopa Rabari (outside the Nesses area in the forests of Alech, Gir and Barada).	रबारी	Cattle rearers . . . .	..
71	Raval	रावल	Bards, beggars, carriers and weavers of tape.	..
72	Sagar	सागर	Cultivators	(Not available)
73	Salat (excluding Sompur Salat).	सलाट	Stone workers	3,339
74	Sandhi	सांधी	..	28,493
75	*Saranian	सराणिया	Knife grinders	307
76	Sathwara	सथवाडा	Husbandmen, Field labourers.	(Not available)

1	2	3	4	5
77	*Siddi (Outside Nesses area in the forests of Alech, Gir and Barada).	सिद्दी	Robbers, labourers	(Not available)
78	*Sumra	सुमरा	Soldiers	Ditto
79	Suthar	सुथार	Carpenters	Ditto
80	Tarkada	तरकडा	Gold and Silver thread makers.	Ditto
81	Targala, Bhavaya	तरगला भवैया	Actors of religious dramas.	Ditto
82	Tariatai	तरियाताई	Crimes, now taken to weaving.	Ditto
83	*Thakarda	ठाकरडा	Petty services	Ditto
84	*Vadhala. . . .	वढाला	Crimes	Ditto
85	*Vagher	वाघेर	Fishermen, sailors	Ditto
86	*Vaghri	वाघ्री	Theft	26,547
87	Valand	वालन्ड	Barbers . . . .	..
88	Vanza	वांझा	Weavers	(Not available)
89	*Vanjara	वनजरा	Pack carriers	Ditto
90	Vavad	वावड	..	Ditto
91	Vedva Vaghri	वेडवा वाघरी	Field labourers	24,860
92	Sikhs (<i>Vide</i> Note)
93	Bhat	3,153
	*Sanghadia (S. No. 61)

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Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	*Alwar	आलवर	Salt-making, Fishing .	(Not available)
■	Anglo-Indians (Eurasians) .	आंग्लोइंडियन (यूरेसियन)	..	Ditto
3	Chakkala . . . .	..	Oil pressers	18,821
4	Chavalakkaran	चवलक्कारन	Fishermen	2,545
5	Eshava, Thiya	इशव, थिया	Agricultural and industrial labourers, Coir makers, hand-loom weavers.	(Not available)
6	Ezhavathy, Vathi	ईषवाति, वाती	Barbers	14,223
7	Ezhuthasan	ईझुथासान	Cultivators and agricultural labourers.	27,272
8	*Ganika, Kaniyan	गराका या काणियान	Astrology, native medicine, and umbrella making.	28,680
9	Jonakan . . . .	..	..	2,52,146
10	Kaikollan . . . .	..	Weavers	6,134
11	*Kalari Kurup Panickar.	*Kalari, कलारी करुप या कलारि परिक्कर .	Astrology, medicine, shampooing.	1,679
	Kalaripanicker (No. 11) .	कलरि- परिक्कर .	Ditto . . . .	..
12	*Kallan . . . .	..	Agricultural labourers	1,613
	*Kaniyan (S. No. 8)	काणियान	..	..
13	*Kavathi, *Kerala-Muthali, *Sakravar.	कावती, केरला मुदली साक्रवर	Workers in salt pans .	3,374
	*Kerala Muthali (S. No. 13)	केरला मुदली	..	2,094

1	2	3	4	5
14	*Konar . . . .	..	Shepherds . . .	(Not available)
15	Kudumbi	कुडुम्बी	Fishermen, Agricultural labourers.	37,833
16	*Kuluva . . . .	..	Snake charmers . .	(Not available)
17	*Kumbaran	कुम्बरन	Potters	19
18	*Kusavan	कुशवन	Ditto	6,400
19	Labbai . . . .	..	..	15,332
20	Mappila . . . .	..	Agriculturists and petty traders.	2,554
21	*Maravan	मरवन	Agricultural labourers	21,185
22	Metapathi Pandaram-Veerasaiva, Vairagi, Vairavi, Veerasaiva, Yogeswarar.	मटपती पन्डाराम वीरशैव, वैरागी, वैरावी, दीरशेव, योगीश्वरर	Temple servants, Juglers and labourers.	..
23	Mettan . . . .	..	..	1,98,252
24	*Nadar Hindu . . . .	..	Toddy tappers . .	(Not available)
25	Naicken	नायिक्कन	Traders	5,819
26	*Odan	ओडन	Earth work . . .	2,228
27	*Otta Naicken . . . .	..	Ditto	4,068
	Pandaram Veerasaiva (S. No. 22).	पन्डाराम वीरशैव	..	..
28	*Pandaran	पन्डारन	Menial service in temples.	7,151
29	Pandither . . . .	..	Barber	(Not available)
30	Parumban . . . .	..	..	Ditto
31	Pattaria, Saliya	पट्टारिया, सालिया	Weavers	18,244
32	*Peeris . . . .	..	Coastal barbers . .	Ditto
	Sakravar (S. No. 13)	सक्रवर	..	12,671
	Saliya (S. No. 31)	सालिया	..	..
33	Sourashtra . . . .	..	Weavers	2,055

1	2	3	4	5
34	Thandal Vannan . . .	..	Washermen . . .	(Not available)
	Thiya (S. No. 5) . . .	..	..	..
35	*Thondaiman . . .	தோண்டைமான்	Drummers and pipers, lime burners.	1,006
36	Thottiyar . . .	..	Sale of bangles and garland making.	188
37	Tulukkan . . .	..	..	59,555
38	*Vadukan . . .	..	Basket making	1,932
	Vairagi (S. No. 22) . . .	விராஜி	..	..
	Vairavi (S. No. 22) . . .	விராவி		
39	Vaniyan . . .	..	Oil pressers . . .	34,403
	Vathi (S. No. 6) . . .	..	..	..
40	Velaan . . .	விலான்	Inland fishermen . . .	13,279
	Veera Saiva (S. No. 22) . . .	வீரசைவ	..	28,771
41	Veluthdan, Veluthedathu Nair.	வேலுதேது- நாயர்	Washermen . . .	27,660
42	Vilakkathala Nair . . .	விலகித்தல- நாயர்	Barbers . . .	..
43	Vilakkathalavan . . .	..	Ditto . . .	50,469
44	*Vilkurup . . .	..	Native doctors . . .	2,617
45	Viswakarmala . . .	விஷ்வகர்மலா	Smithy . . .	(Not available)
46	Yadava . . .	..	Cowherds . . .	Ditto
	Yogoeswarar (S. No. 22) . . .	யோகீஸ்வரர்	..	..
47	Scheduled Castes converted to Christianity.	(Not available)
48	Sikh (<i>vide</i> Note)	Ditto

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Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	*Badyakar, Dhuli, Nagarchi, Sabdakar.	..	Drummers . . .	1,459
2	*Baishnab . . . .	..	Beggars	1,129
3	*Baraik . . . .	..	Weavers	25
4	*Barui . . . .	..	Betel leaf cultivators .	269
5	*Bauri . . . .	..	Fishermen, labourers and palanquin bearers.	321
6	*Bedia . . . .	..	Jugglers	18
7	*Bhakta . . . .	..	..	30
8	*Bhar . . . .	..	..	173
9	*Bhinhar . . . .	..	Labourers	5
10	*Bhinjia . . . .	..	Tea-garden labourers .	13
11	*Bumij . . . .	..	Cultivators	638
12	*Bhuiya . . . .	..	Tea-garden labourers .	59
13	*Bin . . . .	..	Workers in tea gardens.	514
14	*Bind . . . .	..	Fishermen	■
15	*Desali . . . .	..	..	2
	*Dhuli (S. No. 1) . . . .	..	..	..
16	*Dosad . . . .	..	Labourers	5
17	*Gangin . . . .	..	..	85
18	*Ganju . . . .	..	..	88
19	*Gareri . . . .	..	Tea-garden labourers	41
20	*Goala . . . .	..	Cattle keepers and sellers of milk products.	2,819
21	*Gundi . . . .	..	..	134
22	*Guri . . . .	..	..	7
23	*Jhara . . . .	..	..	295
24	jogi, Nath, Yogi . . . .	..	Weavers	23,596

1	2	3	4	5
25	*Kamar, Karmakar . . . .	..	Blacksmiths	1,970
	*Karmakar (S. No. 25) . . . .	..	..	..
26	*Kangh . . . . .	..	..	(Not available)
27	Kapali . . . . .	..	..	603
28	*Kechai . . . . .	..	..	1
29	*Khumbhakar . . . . .	..	Potters	1,940
30	Kurmi . . . . .	..	..	272
31	Laskar . . . . .	..	..	1,419
32	Lodha . . . . .	..	Tea-garden labourers	259
33	*Lohar . . . . .	..	..	139
34	Manipuri . . . . .	..	Agriculturists with handloom, metal and wicker works as special handicrafts.	18,902
	*Nagarchi (S. No. 1) . . . .	..	..	..
35	*Naiko . . . . .	..	..	(Not available)
36	*Nat and Nattadas . . . .	..	..	318
	Nath (S. No. 24) . . . . .	..	..	..
37	Napit . . . . .	..	Barbers	4,676
38	*Nayak . . . . .	..	..	483
39	*Nunia . . . . .	..	..	579
40	*Paik . . . . .	..	..	28
41	*Pan . . . . .	..	Basket makers	1,001
42	*Panki . . . . .	..	..	73
43	*Pasi . . . . .	..	..	151
44	*Raighatwal . . . . .	..	..	328
45	*Rupai . . . . .	..	..	50
	*Sabdakar (S. No. 1) . . . .	..	..	..
46	Sikhs (<i>vide</i> Note) . . . . .	..	..	..
47	Sutradhar . . . . .	..	Carpenters	1,503
48	Tati, Tanti . . . . .	..	Weavers	2,971
	Tanti (S. No. 48) . . . . .	..	..	..
49	Tea-garden labourers . . . .	..	Labourers . . . . .	..
50	*Ex-tea-garden labourers
51	*Turi	Tea-garden labourers .	39
	Yogi (S. No. 24)

UTTAR PRADESH

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Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Agrahari	अग्रहरी	..	..
2	*Ahibasi . . . .	..	Carrying load on bullocks.	..
3	Ahar . . . .	..	Cattle owners and breeders.	5,42,628
4	Ahir, Bargahi, Bhurtiya .	अहीर	Ditto	49,49,159
5	Ansar, Julaha, Momin .	अन्सार	Weavers	10,07,758
6	Arakh . . . .	..	Agriculturists and labourers.	9,264
7	Atashbaz, Tirgar . . .	आतशबाज	Fire-works makers .	..
8	Atit . . . .	..	Religious mendicants .	39,004
9	Badwa Goswami . . .	..	Teaching and begging	..
10	Baghwan, Mali . . .	बागवान	Vegetable growers .	4,05,960
11	*Banjara, Kuta . . .	बन्जारा	Pack-bullock carriers .	1,12,048
12	Barai . . . .	..	Betel leaf growers and sellers.	1,94,558
	Bargahi (S. No. 4) . . .	..	Cattle owners and breeders.	..
13	Barhai	बढई	Carpenters	7,40,988
14	*Bari . . . .	..	Leaf collectors . . .	74,178
15	*Bawaria . . . .	..	..	..
16	Beragi	बैरागी	Ascetics . . . .	..
17	*Beria . . . .	..	..	..
18	Bhagat	भगत	Musicians and prostitutes.	888
19	Bhand	भांड	Singers and dancers .	129
20	*Bhangi, Dom	भंगी	Sweepers	7,194
21	Bhar, Rajbhar . . . .	..	Agriculturists	4,88,730
22	Bharbhuja, Bhurji, Kandu .	भडभूजा	Grain parchers . . .	3,49,935
23	Bhat, Taga Bhat . . .	भाट	Bards . . . .	..
24	Bhatiyara	भटियारा	Inn-keepers	41,282
25	Bhishti	भिस्ती	Water carriers	4,13,235

1	2	3	4	5
	Bhurji (S. No. 22)	भुडजी	Grain parchers	..
	Bhurtiya (S. No. 4)		Cattle owners and breeders.	..
26	*Bind	विद	Cultivation, fishing and salt-petre making.	79,780
27	Bisati	बिसाती	Pedlars	..
28	*Chai, Kewat, Mallah, Sorahiya.	..	Boatmen, fishermen	10,73,718
29	Chhadipi	..	..	..
30	Chhippa	छीपा	Dyeing and printing	21,473
31	Chhipi	छीपी	Ditto	16,204
32	Chikwa, Qussab	चिकवा	Butchers	1,95,446
33	Churihar, Manihar	चडिहार	Bangle sellers	37,613
34	*Dafali	..	Drummers	40,150
35	*Dalera	..	Basket makers	..
36	Dangi	डांगी	..	..
37	Danwar (of Gorakhpur)	..	..	..
38	Darzi	दर्जी	Tailors	2,57,213
39	*Dharhi, Pawaria, Singharia Tanwar.	..	Cultivation of Singhara	1,256
40	*Dhimar, Dhiver	धीमर	Domestic servants, fishermen.	5,388
	*Dhiver (S. No. 40)	धीवर	Ditto	..
41	Dhobi	धोबी	Washermen	1,27,826
42	Dhunia, Naddaf	धुनिया	Carders	4,53,473
	*Dom (S. N. 20)	डोम	Sweepers	..
43	Faqir	फकीर	Mendicants	4,68,834
44	*Gadariya, Gauriya	गडरिया	Shepherds	12,94,811
45	Gaddi, Ghosi	गद्दी	Herdsmen	43,331
46	Gandharp	गन्धर्प	Dancing, singing, and some of their women have taken to prostitution.	..
47	Gandhi	गन्धी	Perfumers	..
48	*Gandhila	गन्धिला	..	..
49	*Gandhiya	गन्धिया	..	..
	*Gauriya (S. No. 44)	..	Shepherds	..
50	*Gharuk, Kahar, Kamkar		Palanquin bearers	15,10,622
	Ghosi (S. No. 45)	घोसी	Herdsmen	..

1	2	3	4	5
51	Giri . . . .	..	..	..
52	Gorkha	गोरखा	..	..
53	Gossain	गोसायी	Religious devotees .	1,88,362
54	Gujar	गूजर	Cattle owners and breeders.	3,74,133
55	Hajjam	हज्जाम	Barbers	2,85,301
56	*Halalkhor	हलालखोर	Sweepers . . . .	..
57	Halwai	हलवाई	Confectioners	70,510
58	Harjala . . . .	..	Singing and dancing .	..
59	Hassimi . . . .	..	..	..
60	Hijra	हीजड़ा	Singing and dancing .	..
61	Jhoja . . . .	..	Agriculturists	33,347
62	Jogi	जोगी	Mendicants . . . .	..
	Jullaha (S. No. 5)	जुलाहा	Weavers . . . .	..
63	Jyotshi Brahman	ज्यौतिषी ब्राह्मण	Beggars and fortune tellers.	..
64	*Kabariya	कबाड़िया	..	..
65	Kachhi	काच्छी	Vegetable and flower growers.	8,90,864
66	Kadhere . . . .	..	Carders	30,799
	*Kahar (S. No. 50)	कहार	Palanquin bearers .	..
67	Kalwar	कलवार	Distillers	3,15,063
68	Kamalapuri Vaishya, Teli	कमलापुरी वैद्य	Oil-pressers . . . .	..
69	Kamboh . . . .	..	Traders	5,516
	Kamkar (S. No. 50) . . . .	..	Palanquin bearers .	..
	Kandu (S. No. 22) . . . .	..	Grain parchers .	..
70	*Kanera, Khangar . . . .	..	..	22,250
71	Karush . . . .	..	Cane furniture and fire-works makers.	..
72	Kasarwani . . . .	..	Traders	60,884
73	Kasaundhan	कसौंधन	Ditto	1,08,389
74	Kasera, Thathera	कसेरा	Brass utensil makers .	22,559
75	Kasgar . . . .	..	..	..
76	*Keer, Kirar	कीर	Agriculture	2,539
	*Kewat (S. No. 28)	केवट	Boatmen, fishermen .	..
77	Khagi	खागी	..	64,671

1	2	3	4	5
	*Khangar (S. No. 70)	..	..	..
	*Kirar (S. No. 76)	..	Agriculture	..
78	Kisan	किसान	Cultivators	..
79	Koeri	..	Ditto	5,77,012
80	Kumhar	कुम्हार	Potters	9,84,510
81	Kundigar	..	..	..
82	Kunjra, Rain	कून्जड़ा	Vegetable sellers	88,648
83	Kurmi	कुरमी	Cultivators	22,30,880
	*Kuta (S. No. 11)	..	Pack-bullock carriers	..
84	Lahera	..	Lac bangle makers	..
85	Lobana	लोबाणा	..	..
86	Lodh	लोध	Cultivators and labourers.	13,96,265
87	Lohar, Vishwakarma	लोहार	Blacksmiths	6,39,333
88	*Lunia, Nunia	लूणिया	Salt-petre makers	4,94,934
	Mali (S. No. 10)	माली	Vegetable and flower growers.	..
	*Mallah (S. No. 28)	मल्लाह	Boatmen, fishermen	..
	Manihar (S. No. 33)	मनिहार	Bangle sellers	..
89	*Manjhi	मान्झी	..	..
90	Morao, Murai	मुराव	Vegetable growers	6,71,826
91	*Marasi	मरासी	Musicians	..
92	*Mewati	मेवाती	..	..
	Momin (S. No. 5)	मोमिन	Weavers	..
	Murai (S. No. 90)	..	..	..
	Naddaf (S. No. 42)	..	Carders	..
	Nai	नाई	Barbers	8,41,551
	*Naik	..	..	..
	*Naqqal	नक्काल	..	..
	Nandbai	..	Bakers	..
	*Nat	नट	..	24,778
	*Niyaria	..	Minor goldsmith work	..
	*Nunia (S. No. 88)	नूनिया	Salt-petre makers	..
99	Panda (of Uttarakhand only)	पंडा	..	..
100	Pathara	..	..	..

1	2	3	4	5
101	Paturia . . . . .	..	Singing, dancing, and some of their women have taken to prostitution.	..
102	Patwa	पटवा	Threading ornaments.	35,358
	*Pawaria (S. No. 39) . . . . .	..	Cultivation of singhara.	..
	Qassab (S. No. 32)	कस्साब	Butchers . . . . .	..
103	Radha . . . . .	..	Musicians, prostitutes and cultivators.	3,882
104	Rahwani . . . . .	..	Rearing and tending camel.	..
	Rain (S. No. 82)	रायी	Vegetable sellers . . . . .	..
	Rajbhar (S. No. 21) . . . . .	..	Agriculturists . . . . .	..
105	*Ramaiya . . . . .	..	Petty trading and begging.	..
106	Rangrez	रंगरेज	Dyeing and printing	41,140
107	Rangsaz	रंगसाज	Ditto . . . . .	..
108	Rar . . . . .	..	..	..
109	Rauniyar . . . . .	..	Trade in spices . . . . .	..
110	Rautara, Sonar . . . . .	..	Goldsmiths	3,42,753
111	*Rawa . . . . .	..	Farm servants	18,306
112	Sadh	साध	Calico printing . . . . .	..
	*Singharia (S. No. 39)	सिंघाडिया	Cultivation of Singhara	..
113	*Soeri . . . . .	..	Landless labourers . . . . .	..
	Sonar (S. No. 110)	सोनार	Goldsmiths . . . . .	..
	*Sorahiya (S. No. 23) . . . . .	..	..	..
114	Sunkar . . . . .	..	Dyeing cloth	12,351
	Taga Bhat (S. No. 23)	तगा भाट	Bards . . . . .	..
115	Tamoli	तमोली	Betel leaf growers and sellers.	75,247
116	Tantuval, Tatwan	तन्तुवाय	Weavers . . . . .	..
	*Tanwar (S. No. 39)	तंवर	Cultivation of Singhara	..
	Tatwan (S. No. 116) . . . . .	..	Weavers . . . . .	..
	Teli (S. No. 68) . . . . .	..	Oil-pressers	12,52,024
	Thathera (S. No. 74)	ठठेरा	Brass utensil makers . . . . .	..
	Tirgar (S. No. 7) . . . . .	..	Fire-works makers . . . . .	..
117	*Tiyar . . . . .	..	Boating and fishing . . . . .	..
118	Umar Bania . . . . .	..	..	..
	Vishwa-Karma (S. No. 87)	विश्वकर्मा	Blacksmiths . . . . .	..
119	Pamaria	Hand-loom reed makers	..
120	Audhias (Oudhias)	Ex-criminal Tribe	(Not available)

VINDHYA PRADESH

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(NOTE.—*Indicates the Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5
1	Adhori	अधोड़ी	..	..
2	Ahir, Bargahi Brijbasi, Jadav.	अहीर	Herdsmen	2,19,058
3	Arakh . . . . .	..	Agriculturists and labourers.	1,990
4	Audhic, Avadhi	औधी	..	..
	Avadhi (S. No. 4) . . . .	..	..	..
5	*Badigar	बादीगर	Tattooers . . . .	..
6	*Bagri	बागड़ी	Wandering people .	4,989
7	Bairagi	बैरागी	Mendicants	1,371
8	*Banjara, Lamana	बंजारा	Pack-bullock carriers .	60
	Baragahi (S. No. 2) . . . .	..	Herdsmen . . . .	..
9	Barhai, Kundera, Sutar . .	बड़ई	Carpenters	36,867
10	*Bari, Baria	बारी	Leaf makers	9,248
	*Baria (S. No. 10) . . . .	..	..	..
11	*Basudev, Harbola, Jaga, Kaparia, Kapdi.	वासुदेव	Beggars, wandering caste.	..
12	*Behna . . . . .	..	Cotton cleaners . . .	14,623
13	Bharbhujia	भड़भूजा	Grain parchers . . .	5,023
14	Bharewa . . . . .	..	..	565
15	Bhat, Jasondhi	भाट	Bards	7,017
16	*Bhima . . . . .	..	Agriculturists . . . .	..
17	*Bhishti	भिस्ती	Water carriers . . . .	..
18	Bhujwa	भुजवा	..	..
19	*Bhurtiya . . . . .	..	Cattle rearing	2,545
20	Bhutia	भूटिया	Cultivation and cattle rearing.	..
	Brijbasi (S. No. 2)	ब्रजवासी	Herdsmen . . . .	..
21	*Britia, Kahar	बृतिয়া	Domestic servants . .	31,147
22	Chaurasia, Tamboli	चौरासिया	Betel leaf growers . .	..

1	2	3	4	5
23	Chipa	छीपा	Dyeing and printing .	3,103
24	Chikwa, Qussab . . .	चिकवा	Butchers . . . .	..
25	Chipi, Darzi . . . .	..	Tailors	18,454
26	Dahej . . . .	..	..	..
27	Dana . . . .	..	..	..
28	Dangi	डांगी	..	7,426
	Darzi (S. No. 25) . . .	दरजी	Tailors . . . .	..
29	Dhobi	धोबी	Washermen . . .	106
30	*Gadariya	गडरिया	Shepherds . . .	74,529
31	*Ghariya	घरिया	..	..
32	Ghosi	घोसी	Shepherds . . .	14,954
33	Gontia . . . .	..	..	..
34	Gosain	गोसायी	Mendicants . . .	..
35	Gujar	गूजर	Cultivators and herds- men.	6,525
	*Harbola (S. No. 11) . .	हरबोला	Beggars . . . .	..
36	*Hela	हेला	Sweepers . . . .	..
37	Huga Lohar, Lohar, Lohpeta	हुगा लुहार	Black-smiths . . .	53,597
	Jadav (S. No. 2) . . .	जादव	Herdsman . . . .	..
	*Jaga (S. No. 11) . . .	..	Beggars . . . .	..
38	Jangra, Lodhi . . . .	..	Agriculturists . . .	1,05,290
	Jasondhi (S. No. 15) . .	जसोंधी	Bards . . . .	..
39	Jogi	जोगी	Religious mendicants .	5,382
40	Joshi	जोशी	Astrologers . . .	..
41	Julaha, Momin	जुलाहा	Weavers	7,373
42	Fakir, Sain	फकीर	Beggars	2,079
43	Kabar, Kalcari	कबर	..	..
	Kabari (S. No. 43) . . .	..	..	..
44	*Kachhi	काछी	Vegetable growers .	2,16,112
45	*Kadera . . . .	..	Fireworks makers .	..
	Kahar (S. No. 21) . . .	कहार	Domestic servants and palanquine bearers.	..
46	Kamriya . . . .	..	..	..

1	2	3	4	5
47	*Kanjhar, Sansia . . .	कन्जर	Beggars . . .	78
48	Kalar . . .	कलार	Distillers . . .	..
	*Kapdi (S. No. 11) . . .	..	Beggars . . .	..
	*Kaparia (S. No. 11) . . .	..	Ditto	..
49	Karar, Kirar . . .	..	Agricultural labourers	3,217
50	Kasera, Tamera . . .	कसेरा	Brass utensil makers . . .	..
51	Kauri, Kori . . .	..	Weavers . . .	70,985
52	*Khangar, Mirdha . . .	खंगार	Village Messengers and watchmen.	19,955
	Kirar (S. No. 49) . . .	..	Agricultural labourers	..
53	Kodar . . .	..	Carpenters . . .	..
	Kori (S. No. 51) . . .	कोरी	Weavers . . .	..
54	*Kewat . . .	केवट	Boatmen . . .	42,804
	Kundera (S. No. 9) . . .	कुन्देरा	Carpenters . . .	..
55	Kunjra . . .	कुंजड़ा	Vegetable sellers . . .	1,470
56	Kurmi . . .	कुरमी	Agriculturists . . .	1,70,031
57	Lakhera . . .	लखेरा	Bangle makers . . .	2,635
	*Lamana (S. No. 8) . . .	लमाणा	Pack-bullock carriers . . .	..
58	*Larhia . . .	..	Earth workers . . .	..
	Lodhi (S. No. 38) . . .	लौधी	Agriculturists . . .	..
	Lohar (S. No. 37) . . .	लोहार	Blacksmiths . . .	..
	Lohpeta (S. No. 37) . . .	लोहपटा	Ditto . . .	..
59	Lome . . .	..	..	..
60	*Lunia, Murha, Nunia . . .	लूणिया	Salt-petre makers . . .	6,011
61	Mali . . .	माली	Gardeners . . .	4,210
62	Manihar . . .	मनिहार	Bangle sellers . . .	..
63	*Mehtar . . .	मेहतर	Sweepers . . .	47
	*Mirdha (S. No. 52) . . .	मिरधा	Village messengers and watchmen.	..
	Momin (S. No. 41) . . .	मोमिन	Weavers . . .	..
64	*Murraha . . .	..	..	..
	*Murha (S. No. 60) . . .	..	Salt-petre makers . . .	..
65	Nai . . .	नाई	Barbers . . .	63,459

1	2	3	4	5
	*Nunia (S. No. 60)	नूनिया	Salt-petre makers	..
66	Ojha	औझा	Agriculturists	..
67	Panka	पनका	Weavers	..
68	Patwa	पटवा	Silk thread braid-makers.	1,806
	Qussab (S. No. 24)	क़स्साब	Butchers	..
69	Rajgir	राजगिर	Masons	..
70	Rangredh, Rangraz	रंगरेध	Dyers and printers	..
	Rangrez (S. No. 70)	रंगरेज़	Ditto	..
	Sain (S. No. 42)	सांयीं	Mendicants	..
	*Sansia (S. No. 47)	सांसिया	Beggars	..
71	Scheduled Castes converted to Christianity.	ईसाई बनी हुई अनुसूचित जातियां	..	..
72	Sikhs (<i>vid</i> : note)	सिख अनुसूचित जातियां	..	..
73	*Sikligar	सिकलीगर	Tool sharpeners	..
74	Sonar	सोनार	Goldsmiths	32,971
	Sutar (S. No. 9)	सुतार	Carpenters	..
	Tamboli (S. No. 22)	तम्बोली	Betel leaf growers	..
	Tamera (S. No. 50)	तुमेर	Brass utensil makers	..
75	Teli	तेली	Oil pressers	1,07,195
76	Thanwar
	*Wasdeo (S. No. 11)	वासदेव	Beggars	..

WEST BENGAL

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(NOTE.—*Indicates Communities considered most backward.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Community	Hindi Equivalent	Traditional Occupation	Estimated Population, 1951
1	■	■	4	5
1	Acharya, Acharji . .	आचार्य, आचारजि	Astrologers . .	(Not available)
2	Acharji (S. No. 1) . .	आचारजि	..	..
	*Agariya . . .	अगरिया	Cultivators . .	177
3	*Aghore . . .	अघोर	..	(Not available)
4	*Agradana, Agradani . .	अग्रदान, अग्रदानी	Recipients of the offerings of shradh.	Ditto
	*Agradani . . .	अग्रदानी	..	..
5	Ahir, Ghosh, Goala, Jadav, Yadav.	अहीर, घोष, गोवाला, यादव	Milkmen . . .	6,52,913
6	Amant, Amat, Amath . .	आमांत, आमात, आमाथ	Cultivators . .	(Not available)
	Amat (S. No. 6) . . .	आमात	..	..
	Amathi (S. No. 6) . . .	आमाथ	..	..
7	*Badi (Nepali) . . .	बादी (नेपाली)	Drum makers . .	(Not available)
8	*Bagal	बागाल	Cowherds . . .	Ditto
9	*Baishya Kapali, Kapali . .	बैश्य कपाली, कापाली	Weavers and cultivators,	Ditto
10	*Bajadar, Bajania, Bedey, Bediya (excluding Bediya in S. C.)	बाजादार, बाजानिया, बेदे, बेदिया	Musicians and jugglers	Ditto
	*Bajania (S. No. 10) . .	बाजानिया	..	..

1	2	3	4	5
11	*Banua, Buna, Bunna, Buno	बनुआ, बुना, बुन्ना, बूनो	Labourers . . .	(Not available)
12	*Barchain, Chai, Chain	बारचाई, चाई, चाई	Fishermen and cultiva- tors.	1,08,491
13	Barna Brahman, Patit Brahman.	बर्ण ब्राह्मण, पतित ब्राह्मण	Priests of the low castes	(Not available)
14	Barui, Barujibi . . .	बारूइ, बारजीबी	Betel leaf cultivators	56,616
	Barujibi (S. No. 14) . . .	बारजीबी	..	..
	*Bedey (S. No. 10) . . .	बेदे	..	..
	*Bediya (S. No. 10) . . .	बेदिया	..	..
15	*Berua	बेरुआ	Cultivators and fisher- men.	44
16	Bhangi . . . . .	..	Scavengers . . .	(Not available)
17	Bhant	भांट	Musicians . . .	Ditto
18	Bhar	भड़	Cultivators . . .	Ditto
19	Bhat	भाट	Genealogists and family bards.	Ditto
20	*Bhatiya	भाटिया	Dancing, Jugglery and singing.	455
21	Bhathiara, Razzaqi . . .	भटियारा, रज्जाकी	Inn-keepers . . .	(Not available)
22	Binjhia, Binjhwar, Birjia, Brijia.	बिंझिया	Cultivators . . .	285
	Binjhwar (S. No. 22) . . .	..	..	..
23	Birhor . . . . .	..	Cultivators . . .	(Not available)
	Birjia (S. No. 22) . . .	बिर्जिया	..	..
	Brijia (S. No. 22) . . .	ब्रिजिया	..	..
	*Buna (S. No. 11) . . .	बूना	..	..
	*Bunna (S. No. 11) . . .	बुन्ना	..	..
	*Buno (S. No. 11) . . .	बूनो	..	..
24	Chack	चाक	..	(Not available)
	*Chai (S. No. 12) . . .	चाई	..	..

1	2	3	4	5
	*Chain (S. No. 12) . . .	चाई	..	..
25	Chasadhoba, Haladhar, Halari, Satchasi.	चाषाधोबा	Cultivators . . .	9,036
26	*Chirimar . . .	चिड़मार	Bird catchers . . .	(Not available)
27	Chitrakar . . .	चित्रकार	Painters . . .	Ditto
28	Chik, Chikwa, Kasai, Kassab.	चिक	Butchers . . .	Ditto
	Chikwa (S. No. 28) . . .	चिकवा	..	..
29	Churihara, Lahera . . .	चूड़िहारा, लाहेरिया	Glass bangle makers . . .	(Not available)
30	*Dafali . . .	डफाली	Traders who sell trinkets and beads, etc.	Ditto
31	Darzi, Idrisi . . .	दर्जी, इद्रिसी	Tailors . . .	Ditto
32	Dhasa . . .	धासा	..	Ditto
33	*Dhekaru . . .	..	Labourers, cultivators and snake charmers.	Ditto
34	*Dhenuar . . .	धेनुयार	..	62
35	Dhunia, Mansoori . . .	धुनिया	Cotton carders . . .	(Not available)
36	Fakir, Sain . . .	फकीर, सायी	Beggars . . .	Ditto
37	Gaddi, Ghosi . . .	गद्दी	Buffalo graziers . . .	Ditto
38	*Gain . . .	गार्इन	Musicians . . .	Ditto
39	Garai, Kalu . . .	गराई, कालु	Oil pressers . . .	Ditto
40	Ganda . . .	गण्ड	..	Ditto
41	Ghatwal . . .	घटवाल	Village watchmen . . .	Ditto
	Ghosh (S. No. 5) . . .	घोष	..	..
	Ghosi (S. No. 37) . . .	..	..	..
	Goala (S. No. 5) . . .	गोआला	..	..
42	*Gond . . .	गोंड	Cultivators . . .	(Not available)
43	*Gonda . . .	..	..	Ditto
44	*Gudheri . . .	गधेरी	Cattle graziers . . .	Ditto
45	Hajam, Ibrahimmi . . .	हाजाम इब्राहिमी	Barbers . . .	Ditto
	Haladhar (S. No. 25) . . .	हलधर	..	..
	Halari (S. No. 25) . . .	हलारी	..	..
46	*Halalkhor (excluding those in S. C. list).	हलालखोर	Sweepers . . .	(Not available)

1	2	3	4	5
47	Halwai	हलवाई	Confectioners	(Not available)
48	Hawari	हाबारी	Washermen	Ditto
49	*Hill Tribes of Himalaya and Chittagong hill tracts. . . . .	..	..	Ditto
50	*Hela	हेला	Sweepers	Ditto
	Ibrahimi (S. No. 45)	ईब्राहिमी	..	..
	Idrisi (S. No. 31)	इद्रिसी	..	..
	Jadav (S. No. 5) . . . . .	..	..	..
51	Jconi	ज्योनी	..	(Not available)
52	*Kagzi	कागजी	Paper makers	Ditto
53	*Kahar	कहार	Cultivators and Palan- quin bearers.	Ditto
	Kalu (S. No. 39)	कालु	..	..
54	Kamar, Karmakar . . . . .	..	Blacksmiths	2,19,794
55	*Kan . . . . .	..	Musicians	28
56	*Kandh . . . . .	..	..	1,141
57	Kandu . . . . .	..	Grain parching	(Not available)
58	Kansari, Kangsakar	कांसारी कांस्यकार	Workers in Kansa or bell metal. . . . .	..
	Kangsakar (S. No. 58)	कांस्यकार	..	..
	*Kapali (S. No. 9)	कापाली	..	..
59	Kapuria	कापुडिया	Horse dealers	239
60	Karani	कारानी	Weavers	(Not available)
61	Karha . . . . .	..	Cultivators	Ditto
	Karmakar (S. No. 54)	कर्मकार	..	..
62	*Karwal Nut, Nat	काडवाल नट	Musicians and dancers . . . .	..
	Kasai (S. No. 28) . . . . .	..	..	..
63	*Kasai Maji . . . . .	..	Cultivators	(Not available)
	Kassab (S. No. 28) . . . . .	..	..	..
64	Kharga	खडग	..	(Not available)
65	Kharia . . . . .	..	Cultivators	Ditto
66	Kharwar, Kherwar . . . . .	..	Ditto	Ditto
	Kherwar (S. No. 66) . . . . .	..	..	..

1	2	3	4	5
67	Khyara	ख्यारा		(Not available)
68	Koiri	कोईरी	Cultivators	10,763
69	Kumar, Khumbhakar, .. Kumhar	कुम्भकार	Potters	(Not available)
	Kumbhakar (S. No. 69)	कुम्भकार	..	..
	Kumhar (S. No. 69)	कुम्हार	..	..
70	Kunjra, Rayeen	कुंजड़ा	Vegetable sellers	(Not available)
71	Kurmi	कुर्मी	Cultivators	Ditto
	Lahera (S. No. 29)	लाहेरिया	..	..
72	Machhua	मछुया	Fishermen or fish sellers.	(Not available)
73	Mahadarda	महादरद	Landless labourers	Ditto
74	Mahata	माहाता	..	Ditto
75	Mahato	माहातो	Cultivators	Ditto
76	Malakar, Mali	मालाकार, माली	Florists and decorators	Ditto
	Mali (S. No. 76)	माली	..	..
77	Mallah	मल्लाह	Boatmen	(Not available)
	Mansoori (S. No.35)	मनसूरी	..	..
78	*Matial	माटियाल	Earth workers	(Not available)
79	*Mirshikar	मीरशिकार	Bird catchers	Ditto
80	Momin	मोमिन	Weavers	Ditto
81	Morapora Brahmin	मडापोडा ब्राह्मण	Priests	Ditto
82	Mug	मग	..	Ditto
83	Nalband	नलबन्द	..	Ditto
84	Napit	नापित	Barbers	2,51,078
	*Nat (S. No. 62)	नट	..	..
85	Nath, Yogi	नाथ, योगी	Weavers	70,934
86	Panthi	पन्थी	..	(Not available)
	Patit Brahmin (S. No. 13)	पतित ब्राह्मण	..	..
87	Patua	पटुया	Painters of Hindu deities.	(Not available)
88	Pirali	पिरली	..	Ditto

1	2	3	4	5
89	Rangres	रंगरेज	Dyeing	(Not available)
	Rayeens (S. No. 70)	रयीन	..	..
	Razzaqi (S. No. 21)	रेजाकी	..	..
90	Rohangia, Roshangia . .	रोहां गीया, रोशांगिया	..	(Not available)
	Roshangia (S. No. 90)	रोशांगिया	..	..
91	Saha	साहा	Manufacture and sale of liquor.	64,073
	Sain (S. No. 36)	सायी	..	..
92	Sankhakar, Sankheru . .	शंखकार	Conch-shell cutters . .	(Not available)
	Sankheru (S. No. 92)	..	..	..
	Satchasi (S. No. 25)	..	..	..
93	*Savar, Sayar	शवर, शयेर	..	(Not available)
	*Sayar (S. No. 93)	शयेर	..	..
94	Sikhs (<i>vide note</i>) . . . .	..	..	(Not available)
95	Sonar, Swarnakar . . . .	..	Goldsmiths	63,192
96	Sutradhar	सुत्रधार	Carpenters	86,829
	Swarnakar (S. No. 95)	स्वर्णकार	..	..
97	Tambuli, Tamli	तम्बोली तामलि	Betel leaf sellers	67,222
	Tamli (S. No. 97)	तामलि	..	..
98	Tanti, Tantubaya	तांति, तन्तु- वाय	Weavers	3,78,184
	Tantubaya (S. No. 98)	तन्तुवाय	..	..
99	Teli (Nepali)	तेली (नेपाली)	Oil pressers	(Not available)
100	Teli	तेली	Ditto	Ditto
01	Tili	तिलि	Traders	2,25,889
102	*Tippera . . . .	..	Wanderers	(Not available)
103	Traditional Buddhists . .	..	..	Ditto
104	*Turha	तुहां	Cultivators
	Yadav (S. No. 5)
	Yogi (S. No. 85)
105	Vyasokta	व्यासोक्ता	Priests	(Not available)

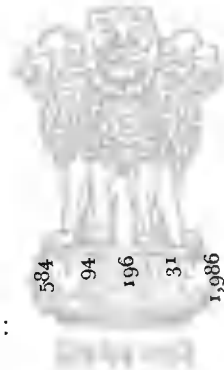
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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Aheri	अहेरी	4,164				(Not available)
2	Bagri	बागरी	1,118				
3	Balai	बलाई	5,871				
4	Bambhi	बाम्बी	1,806				
5	Bansphod	बांसफोड	..				
6	Baori	बावरी	1,042				
7	Bargi	बारगी	3,199				
8	Bazigar	बाजीगर	..				
9	Bhangi	भंगी	3,750				
10	Bidakia	बिदकिया	609				
11	Chammar	चमार	8,452				
12	Dahgar	दाहगार	1,117				

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
13	Dhanak	धानक	300				
14	Dhed	देह	227				
15	Dhobi	धोबी	4,153				
16	Dholi	ढोली	2,217				
17	Dom	डोम	390				
18	Garoda	गरोड़ा					
19	Gancha	घांचा	1,101				
20	Jatava	जाटव	2,651				
21	Kalbelia	कालबेलिया	1,146				
22	Khangar	खंगार	351				
23	Khatik	खटीक	3,364				
24	Koli	कोलि, कोली	2,333				
25	Koria	कोरिया	766				
26	Kuchband	कुचबन्द	..				
27	Mahar	महर	317				
28	Meghwal	मेघवाल	588				
29	Mochi	मोची	2,068				
30	Nat	नट	2,101				
31	Pasi	पासी	789				

32	Raigar	.	.	रैगर	16,०12
33	Rawal	.	.	रावल	1,148
34	Sarbhanghi	.	.	सरभंगी	..
35	Sargara	.	.	सरगरा	584
36	Satia	.	.	साटिया	94
37	Thori	.	.	थोरी	196
38	Tirgar	.	.	तीरगर	31
39	Kanjar	.	.	कंजर	1,986
40	Sansi	.	.	सांसी	2,302



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Sl. No.	Existing List	Hindi equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951	Communities recommended for exclusion	Communities recommended for inclusion	Hindi equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
	None	..	..	None	None	..	..

ANDHRA

List of Scheduled Castes together with the revision suggested by the Backward Classes Commission

Sl. No.	List	Hindi Equivalent	* Estimated Population, 1951	Communities recommended for Exclusion	Communities recommended for Inclusion	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Adi Andhra	आदि आंध्र	7,83,538	Valmiki (of agency)	1 Pombala	..	..
2	Adi Dravida	आदि द्राविड	19,53,669		2 Harijan	..	..
3	Arunthathiyar	अरुन्थथियारू	20,989			..	..
4	Bakuda	बकुड	972			..	..
5	Baudi	बौडी	667			..	..
6	Bariki	बारिकि	4,459			..	..
7	Bavuri	बावुरि	2,894			..	..
8	Chachali	चचलि	6,990			..	..
9	Chalvadi	चलवादि	4,129			..	..
10	Chakkiliyan	चकिलियान	7,32,101			..	..
11	Chamar	चामर	169			..	..
12	Chandala	चन्डाल	2,549			..	..
13	Devendra Kulathun	देवेन्द्र कुलतन	..			..	..

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
14	Dewadasi . . .	देवदासी	53,387				
15	Dom or Dombara Paidi, Pano.	डोम या डोम्बारा पैडिपाना	1,37,774				
16	Ghasi or Haddi, Relli, Sachandi.	घासी या हडिड, रेल्लि, साचादि	57,616				
17	Godagalli . . .	गोडगल्लि	1,169				
18	Godari . . .	गोडारी	506				
19	Gosangi . . .	गोसंगी	295				
20	Jaggali . . .	जगल्लि	3,614				
21	Jambuvulu . . .	जाम्बवुलु	8,085				
22	Kudubi . . .	कुडुबि	14,492				
23	Kuravan . . .	कुरुवान	2,545				
24	Madari . . .	मादरि	7,984				
25	Madiga . . .	मादिगा	7,25,265				
26	Maila . . .	मैल	1,726				
27	Mala including Agency Mala.	माला समेत एजन्सि माला	9,58,876				
28	Maladasu . . .	मालदासु	2,895				
29	Malasar . . .	मालसार	6,155				
30	Mathangi . . .	मातांगि	752				

31	Muchi . . .	मुच्चि	2,222
32	Mundala . . .	मंडल	7,541
33	Pambada . . .	पंबाड	404
34	Pamidi . . .	पमिडि	511
35	Panchama . . .	पंचम	83,064
36	Paky . . .	पाकी	2,434
37	Paraiyan . . .	परैयान	13,47,948
38	Thoti . . .	थोटी	997
39	Valmiki (of agency) . . .	वाल्मीकि	5,175

* As Andhra and Madras were not separate States in 1951, this figure includes Population for Madras also.

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1	■	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Bansphor	बांशफोर	1 Jhalo-Malo (To be put with Jhalo or Malo).	झालो-मालो (झालो वा मालो के साथ)	..
2	Bhumali or Mali	भूईमाली व माली	19,836	..	2 Rishi (to be put with Muchi).	ऋषि (मुचि के साथ)	..
3	Brittial-Bania or Bania	ब्रित्तियाल बनिया या बानिया	25,872
4	Dhupi or Dhobi	धुपि वा धोबी	18,565
5	Dugla or Dholi	डुगला वा धोली	42
6	Hira	हिरा	29,983
7	Jhalo or Malo	झालो वा मालो	3,106
8	Kaibartia or Jaliya	कैबर्त वा जालीवा	2,14,386
9	Lalbegi	लालबेगी	1,089
10	Mahara	माहारा	65
11	Mehtar or Bhangi	मेहतर व भंगी	3,383

12	Muchi . . .	मुचि	7,355
13	Namasudra . . .	नमसूद्र	84,148
14	Patni . . .	पातनी	16,103
15	Sutradhar . . .	सुत्रधर	111



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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Balahi . . .	बलाई	35,406	Nat (recommended for inclusion in the list of other Backward Classes).	Bansphor (Basor) .	बासफोड (बसोर)	..
2	Basar . . .	बसार	..	2 Dhobi	..	धोबी	..
3	Bedia . . .	बेडिया	788	3 Jatav (may be put with 'Chamar').	जटव (चमार के साथ)	जटव (चमार के साथ)	..
4	Beldar . . .	बेलदार	343	4 Katia (may be put with 'Koli').	कोटिया (कोली के साथ)	कोटिया (कोली के साथ)	..
5	Chamar . . .	चमार	72,348	5 Mochi	मोची	मोची	..
6	Chitar . . .	चिडार	..	6 Pasi	पासी	पासी	..
7	Dhanuk . . .	धानुक	4,256	7 Sansia	सांसिया	सांसिया	..
8	Dome . . .	डोम	..				
9	Khatik . . .	खटीक	916				
10	Koli . . .	कोली	11,513				



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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I. Throughout the State:							
1	Bauri	बाउरी	1,79,421	Bhogta (recommended for inclusion in S. T.).	1 Agaria (Agriculturists only).	अगरिया	..
2	Bantar	बांतर	..	Rajwar (recommended for inclusion in S. T.).	Banpar	बनपर	..
3	Bhogta	भोगता	81,615	II. In Patna and Tirhut divisions and the districts of Monghyr, Bhagalpur, Purnea, and Palamau:—	3 Bentkar	बेतकर	..
4	Chamar	चमार	15,51,504		4 Bhangi (to be added with Hari including Mehtar).	भंगी	..
5	Chaupal	चौपाल	3,382		5 Dabgar	दबगर	..
6	Dhobi	धोबी	3,28,674		6 Dorura	डमरा	..
7	Dom	डोम	1,87,340	Bhumij (recommended for inclusion in S. T. throughout the State).	7 Dumra (to be added with Dom).	डमरा	..
8	Dusadh, including Dhari or Dharhi.	दुसाध (धारी या धरही सहित)	15,95,055		8 Kapadia	कपाड़िया	..
9	Ghasi	घासी	56,518		9 Katwa	खतवे	..
10	Halalkhor	हालालखोर	25,628	III. In Patna, Shahabad, Gaya, and Palamau district:—			
11	Hari, including Mehtar	हारी (मेहतर सहित)	77,417				
12	Kanjar	कंजर	3,170	Bhuiya (recommended for inclusion in S. T. throughout the State).			
13	Kurariar	कुरारियार	780				

14	Lalbegi . . .	लालबेगी	130	IV. In Shahabad district:—	10 Khatik . . .	खटीक	130
15	Mochi . . .	मोची	28,249	Dabgar (Recommended for retention in S. C. through out the State).	11 Koli . . .	कोली	..
16	Musahar . . .	मुसहर	8,89,681		12 Nishad/Mallah/Surahya . . .	निषाद (मल्लाह, सुराहिया)	5,62,823 (Mallah and Surahiya only)
17	Nat . . .	नट	11,896		13 Satnami . . .	सतनामी	..
18	Pan . . .	पान	13,721		14 Tanti, Tatwa . . .	तांती ततवा	6,48,612 (Tanti and Tatwa only).
19	Pasi . . .	पासी	2,12,595		15 Tanta Patwa . . .	तांता पटवा	..
20	Rajwar . . .	रजवार	1,64,351		16 Tanti Pan . . .	तांती पान	..
21	Turi . . .	तूरी	64,665				

II. In Patna and Tirhut divisions and the districts of Monghyr,

Bhagalpur, Furnea and Palamau :—

Bhumij . . . भूमिज

III. In Patna, Shahabad, Gaya and Palamau districts :—

Bhuiya . . . भुइया 3,19,640

IV. In Shahabad district :—

Dabgar . . . दबगार

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I. Throughout the State :							
1	Agar	अगर	1	1	Bant	बन्ट	(Not available)
2	Asodi	असोदी	..	2	Chamgar	चामगर	Ditto
3	Bakad	बकड	..	3	Dhed	ढेड़	Ditto
4	Bhambi	भांबी	11,778	4	Dohari Chambhar	दोहरी चमभार	Ditto
5	Bhangi	भंगी	1,47,759	5	Gar	गरी	Ditto
6	Chakrawadya-Dasar	चक्रवाद्य-दासर	29	6	Haralaya	हराल्या	Ditto
7	Chalvadi	चलवाडि	..	7	Helpa/Khalpa	हेलपा, खालपा	Ditto
8	Chambhar, or Mochigar or Samagar.	चांभार, मोचिगर, समगार	3,99,410	8	Holar	होलार	Ditto
9	Chena-Dasaru	चन-दासर	983	9	Holer	होलेर	Ditto
10	Chuhar or Chuhra	चहार या चुहरा	..	10	Kakaya	काकाय	Ditto
11	Dakaleru	डाकलरु	..	11	Kankaya	कन्का	Ditto
12	Dhegu-Megu	धेगु-मेगु	..	12	Kattai Mochi, Chambhar.	कट्टई (परदेशी मोची, परदेशी चमार)	Ditto

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
33	Timali . . .	तिमली	93				
34	Turi . . .	तुरी	6,112				
35	Vankar . . .	वणकर	1,45,687				
36	Vitholia . . .	विठोलिया	709				
II Throughout the State except in Gujarat Division :							
	Mochi . . .	मोची	..				
III In North Kanara District:							
	Kotegar . . .	कोटेगार	..				

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Adi Dravida	66		1 Mundala (Palo)
2	Adi Karnataka				
3	Adiya	66				
4	Balagai	164				
5	Holeya	403				
6	Madiga	273				
7	Muchi	25				
8	Mundala	109				
9	Panchama	24,638				
10	Paraya				
11	Samagara	6				

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Adi-Dhartni	आदि-धर्मी	..		(1) Bhedkut	भेडकुट	(Not available)
2	Agria	अग्रिया	5,656		(2) Giarah	गियारा	Ditto
3	Aheria	अहेरिया	..		(3) Naribut	नारीबुट	Ditto
4	Balai	बलाई	..		NOTE.—Giarah is to be bracketed with 'Kanjar'.		
5	Banjara	बनजारा	2,799				
6	Bawaria	बोरिया	III				
7	Bazigar	बाजिगर	39				
8	Bhangi	भंगी	..				
9	Bhil	भील	506				
10	Chamar	चमार	..				
11	Chanwar Chamar	चंवर चमार	1,18,000				
12	Chohra (Sweeper)	चोहड़ा	49,078				
13	Chuhra (Balmiki)	चूहड़ा (बालमीकी)	..				

Dhanak or Dhanuk .	धानक या धानुक	
15 Dhobi . . .	धोबी	3,621
16 Dom . . .	डोम	8,694
17 Gharrami . . .	घरामी	64
18 Jatya or Jatav Chamar (included in item Nos. 10 and 11).	जटया या जाटव चमार	..
19 Julaha (Weaver) .	जुलाहा	23,616
20 Kabirpanthi . . .	कबीरपंथी	..
21 Kachbandha . . .	कचबन्धिया	..
22 Kanjar . . .	कंजर	1,053
23 Khatik . . .	खटीक	9,654
24 Koli . . .	कोली	18,990
25 Lalbegi . . .	लालबेगी	..
26 Madari . . .	मदारी	..
27 Mallah . . .	मल्लाह	843
28 Mazhabi . . .	मजहबी	482
29 Megwal . . .	मेघवाल	..
30 Mochi . . .	मोची	275
31 Nat (Rana) . . .	नट (राना)	271
32 Pasi . . .	पासी	432



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
33	Perna . . .	पेरना	..				
34	Ram Dasia . . .	रामदासिया	..				
35	Ravidasi or Raidasi . . .	रविदासी या रेदासी	..				
36	Rehgarh or Raigar . . .	रेहगढ़ या रेगढ़	19,667				
37	Sansi . . .	सांसी	622				
38	Sapera . . .	सपेरा	643				
39	Sikligar . . .	सिकलीगर	..				
40	Singiwala or Kalbelia . . .	सिंगीवाला या कालबेलिया	..				
41	Sirkiband . . .	सिरकीबन्द	308				



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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Ad-dharmi	आद-धर्मी	350	(1) Arya (if Harijan)	आर्य (यदि हरिजन)		15
■	Balmiki or Chura or Bhangi or Sweeper.	वाल्मीकि या चूहड़ा या भंगी	1,750	(2) Badhi/Nagalu	बाढी, नगालू		(Not available)
3	Bangali	बंगाली	315	(3) Bandhela	बन्धेला		Ditto
4	Banjara	बनजारा	682	(4) Bansi	बंसी		Ditto
5	Barar	बरड़	2,851	(5) Barad	बरड़		Ditto
6	Bawaria	बावरिया	..	(6) Batwal	बटवाल		1,005
7	Bazigar	बाजीगर	114	(7) Darai/Daryai (if Harijan)	दरई, दरयाई (यदि हरिजन)		(Not available)
8	Hesi	हेसी	985	(8) Dhaogri/Dhuai	ढोगरी		967
9	Bhajra	भजड़ा	418	(9) Hali	हली		23,554
10	Chamar	चमार	41,117	(10) Jogi	जोगी		2,642
11	Chanal	चनल	10,230	(11) Kamoh/Dagoli	कमोह, डगोली		142
12	Dagi	डागी	1,38,382	(12) Karoack	करोक		(Not available)
13	Daole	दोले	7	(13) Khatik	खटीक		164

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14	Dhaki or Toori	ढाकी या तूरी	..	(14)	Lohar (if Harijan)	लोहार (यदि हरिजन)	17,147
15	Doom or Doonna	डूम या डूमणा	25,815	(15)	Megh	मेघ	365
16	Kabirpanthi or Julaha or Keer.	कबीरपंथी या जुलाहा या कीर	10,986	(16)	Rehara	रेहड़ा	(Not available)
17	Koli	कोली	178	(17)	Sarde/Sarare/Siryare	सारदे, सराडे, सरयोर	224
18	Mazhabi	मजहबी	20	(18)	Sipi	सीपी	3,347
19	Mochi	मोची	652	(19)	Teli (if Harijan)	तेली (यदि हरिजन)	(Not available)
20	Nat	नट	52	(20)	Thathiar/Thathera	ठठियार, ठठेरा	197
21	Od	ओड					
22	Pasi	पासी	98				
23	Pherra	फरेरा					
24	Ramdasi or Ravidasi	रामदासी या रविदासी					
25	Ramdasia	रामदासिया	356				
26	Rehar	रेहड़	1,406				
27	Sansi	सांसी	3				
28	Sapela	सपेला	56				
29	Sikigar	सिकीगर	190				
30	Sirkiband	सिरकीबंद	..				

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Anamuk . . .	अनामक	3,127	(1) Gurrappuvadlu			
2	Aray (Mala) . . .	आरे (माला)	3,405				
3	Arwa Mala . . .	अर्वा (माला)	6,702				
4	Beda (Budga) Jangam	बेड़ा (बुडगा) जंगम	3,174				
5	Bindla . . .	बिडला	16,027				
6	Byagara . . .	बेगारा	..				
7	Chalvadi . . .	चलवाडी	..				
8	Chambhar . . .	चंभार	3,29,477				
9	Dakkal (Dokkalwar)	डक्कल (डोक्कलवार)	10,736				
10	Dhor . . .	डोर	1,27,093				
11	Ellamalwar (Yellam- malawandlu).	यल्लमलवार (यल्लम्माला- वांडलु)	2,998				
12	Holeya . . .	होलेय	..				
13	Holeya Dasari . . .	होलेय दासरी	..				
14	Kolupulvandlu . . .	कोलुपुलवांडलू	6,913				

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
15	Madiga . . .	मादिगा	27,54,092				
16	Mahar . . .	महार	14,47,258				
17	Mala . . .	माला	11,00,115				
18	Mala Dasari . . .	मालादासरी	4,046				
19	Mala Hannai . . .	माला हन्नाई	35,807				
20	Mala Jangam . . .	मालाजंगम	8,101				
21	Mala Masti . . .	मालामस्ती	9,720				
22	Mala Sale (Netkani)	मालासाली (नेटकनी)	3,256				
23	Mala Sanyasi . . .	माला सन्यासी	4,910				
24	Mang . . .	मांग	9,68,633				
25	Mang Garodi . . .	मांगगारोडी	..				
26	Manne . . .	मन्ने	35,901				
27	Mashii . . .	मास्ती	31,527				
28	Mchtar . . .	मेहतर	5,091				
29	Mitha Ayyalvar . . .	मिठल अयलवार	11,328				
30	Mochi . . .	मोची	4,614				
31	Samagara . . .	समगार	..				
32	Sindhollu . . .	सिंधोल्लू	..				
	(Chindollu) . . .	चिंदोल्लू	..				

KUTCH


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1	■	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Bhangi . . .	भंगी	731				
2	Chamar . . .	चमार	1,204				
3	Garoda . . .	गरोड़ा	1,676				
4	Meghwal . . .	मेघवाल	43,326				
5	Turi . . .	तुरी	159				
6	Turi-Barot . . .	तुरी-बरोट	..				

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Adi Andhra . .	आदि अंध्र	7,83,538	(1) Kurichchan	(1) Harijan . .		
2	Adi Dravida . .	आदि द्राविड़	19,53,669	(2) Holey Pallen (South Kanara).	(2) Holey Pallen (South Kanara).		
3	Adi Karnataka .	आदि कर्नाटक	777	(3) Kadaivan . .	(3) Kadaivan . .		
4	Ajila	796	(4) Nalkadaya . .	(4) Nalkadaya . .		
5	Arunthathiyar . .	अरुन्थियार	20,989	(5) Porumkollan . .	(5) Porumkollan . .		
6	Baira	2,266	(6) Pallen (Vathiriyar, Pannadi).	(6) Pallen (Vathiriyar, Pannadi).		
7	Bakuda	बकुड़	972	(7) Vedan	(7) Vedan		
8	Bandi	बंडी	667	(8) Araya, Valan, Mukkuvan (Malabar side).	(8) Araya, Valan, Mukkuvan (Malabar side).		
9	Bariki	बारिक	4,459				
10	Bavuri	बावुरि	2,894				
11	Bellara	105				
12	Byagari	10,206				



13	Chachati	चच्चटि	6,190
14	Chakkiliyan	..	7,32,101
15	Chalavadi	चल्वादि	4,129
16	Chamar	चमार	169
17	Chandala	चन्डाल	2,549
18	Cheruman	चेरुमन	2,59,260
19	Dandasi	दन्दासी	53,387
20	Devendrakulathan	देवेन्द्रकुलतन	4,849
21	Dom or Dombara, Paidi, Pano.	डोम, डोम्बरा, पेदी, पानो	1,37,774
22	Ghasi or Haddi, Relli, Sachandi.	घासी, हडी, रेल्ली, साचंदि	57,616
23	Godagali	गोडगल्ली	1,169
24	Godari	गोडारि	506
25	Godda	..	176
26	Gosangi	गोसांगि	295
27	Hasla	..	444
28	Holeya	होलेय	59,805
29	Jaggali	जगलि	3,644
30	Jambuvulu	..	8,085
31	Kadan	..	592

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
32	Kalladi . . .	..	6,922				
33	Kanakkan . . . कणक्कन		26,600				
34	Karimpalan . . .	..	3,387				
35	Kodalo . . .	..	34,278				
36	Koosa . . .	..	987				
37	Koraga . . .	..	4,877				
38	Kudubi . . .	..	14,492				
39	Kudumban . . .	..	998				
40	Kuravan . . . कुरवन		2,545				
41	Kurichchan . . . कुरिच्चन		8,581				
42	Madari . . . मादरी		7,984				
43	Madiga . . . मादिग		7,25,265				
44	Maila . . . मैला		1,726				
45	Mala (including Agency Malas).		9,58,876				
46	Mala Dasu . . .	..	2,895				
47	Malasar . . .		6,155				
48	Matangi . . .	..	752				
49	Mavilan . . .	..	1,618				



50	Moger	.	.	933
51	Muchi	.	मुची	2,222
52	Mundala	.	मुन्डाला	7,541
53	Nalakeyava	.	.	1,796
54	Nayadi	.	नायादी	627
55	Pagadai	.	.	931
56	Painda	.	.	110
57	Paky	.	.	2,434
58	Pallan	.	.	9,95,669
59	Pambada	.	.	404
60	Pamidi	.	पमिदि	511
61	Panan	.	.	17,167
62	Panchama	.	पंचमा	83,064
63	Panniandi	.	.	65
64	Paraiyan	.	परयन	13,47,948
65	Paravan	.	परवन	997
66	Pulayan	.	पुलयन	28,207
67	Puthirai Vannan	.	.	89
68	Raneyar	.	.	1,786
69	Samagara	.	.	2,435
70	Samban	.	.	672

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
71	Sapari . . .	..	557				
72	Senman . . .	..	1,445				
73	Thoti . . .	..	1,977				
74	Tiruvalluvar . . .	..	249				
75	Valluvan . . .	..	71,430				
76	Valmiki . . .	बाल्मीकि	5,175				
77	Vettuvan . . .	वेट्टवन	34,175				

*As Andhra and Madras were not Separate States in 1951, this figure includes population for Andhra also.

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<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Bagri or Bagdi	बागरी, बागडी	54,235	(1) Bairwa (may be put with 'Chamar').	बेरवा		
2	Balai	बलाई	3,10,701	(2) Banchada	बनचडा		
3	Barahar or Basod	बरहार, बसोड	..	(3) Bawari and Moghiya (may be put with 'Pardhi').	बवारी और मोघिया पारधी के साथ		
4	Bargunda	बरगुन्डा	5,186	(4) Bhanumati	भानुमती		
5	Bedia	बेदिया	868	(5) Dabgar	दबगर		
6	Bhambi	भांबी	6,794	(6) Dali	डाली		
7	Bhangi ■■■ Mehar	भंगी, मेहतर	51,984	(7) Damami (Dholi)	दमामी, डोली		
8	Chamar	चमार	7,06,382	(8) Dhed	ढेड़		
9	Chidar	चीडर	11,624	(9) Dhobi	धोबी		
10	Dhanuk	धानुक	5,225	(10) Dom	डोम		
11	Kaujar	कांजर	991	(11) Jatav	जाटव		

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
12	Khatik	खटीक	25,660	(12)	Kalbelia, (to be put with 'Nat').	Sapera कालबेलिया, सपेरा : (नट के साथ)	
13	Koli	कोली	1,18,725	(13)	Kotwal	कोतवाल	
14	Mahar	महार	4,685	(14)	Mahiyar	महियार	
15	Mochi	मोची	4,120	(15)	Mang (Mang Garodi)	मांग, मांग गारोडी	
16	Nat	नट	8,092	(16)	Meghwal	मेघवाल	
17	Pardhi	पारधी	3,098	(17)	Regar	रेगड़	
18	Pasi	पासी	3,244	(18)	Zamral	जामराल	
19	Sansi	सांसी	2,267				

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
<i>Throughout the State (including all the communities in the existing list) :</i>							
1	Basor or Burud .	बसोर या बुरुड	56,573	(1) Bansor and Bansodi (To be added with Basor).	बन्सोड, बन्सोडी		
2	Bahna or Bahana .	बाहना या बहना	1,202	(2) Chamari, Nona (to be added with Chamar).	चमारी, नोना		
3	Balahi or Balai .	बालाही या बालाई	58,853	(3) Dahat (to be added with Dahait).	दाहत		
4	Chamar .	चमार	6,68,071	(4) Dhobi . . .	धोबी		80,339
5	Dom . . .	डोम	6,945	(5) Dumar (to be added with Dom).	डुमार		
6	Mang . . .	मांग	1,09,815	(6) Khatik, Chikwa or Chikvi.	खटीक, चिकवा, चिकवी		13,780
7	Mehtar or Bhangi .	मेहतर या भंगी	34,614	(7) Kanera and Mirdha (to be added with Khangar).	कानेरा, मिरधा		
8	Mochi . . .	मोची	7,432	(8) Dankhni-Mang, Mang Mahashi, Mang-Garudi, Madari or Garudi and Radhe-Mang (to be added with Mang).	दाखनी मांग, मांग माहशी, मांग गारूडी, राधे मांग		
9	Satnami . . .	सतनामी	3,81,526				

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
10	Andhelia (in Bilaspur district).	श्रीवेलिया	813		9 Nat, Natia, Kalibelia Sopera, Nat-Bheria.	नट, नटिया, कालबेलिया, सपेरा, नाथ भेरिया	
11	Bedar (in Akola, Amravati and Buldana districts).	बेडर	532		10 Pasi, Pasis Pasi	पासी, पासिस पासी	6,213
12	Chadar (in Bhandara and Sagar districts).	चडार			11 Patharia (to be added with katia).	पथरिया	
13	Dahait or Dahayat (in Damoh sub-division of Sagar district).	दहाईत या दहायत	15,512		12 Sansi		
14	Dewar (in Bilaspur, Drug, Raipur, Bastar, Sarguja and Raigarh districts).	देवर	904				
15	Dhanuk (in Sagar district <i>except</i> in Damoh sub-division thereof).	धनुक	1,962				
16	Dohor (in Akola, Amravati, Buldana, Ycotmal, Balaghat, Bhandara, Chanda, Nagpur and Wardha districts).	डोहोर	4				
17	Ghasi or Ghasia (in Akola, Amravati, Buldana, Ycotmal, Balaghat, Bhandara, Bilaspur, Chanda, Drug, Wardha, Nagpur, Raipur, Sarguja, Bastar and Raigarh districts).	घासी या घासिया	7,180				
			41,062				

18 Holiya (in Balaghat and Bhandara districts). होलिया

3,645

19 Kaikadi (in Akola, Amravati, Buldana, Yeotmal, Bhandara, Chanda, Nagpur and Waroha districts). कैकाडी

2,340

20 Katia (in Akola, Amravati, Buldana, Yeotmal, Balaghat, Betul, Bhandara, Bilaspur, Chanda, Drug, Nagpur, Nimar, Raipur, Wardha, Bastar, Sarguja and Raigarh districts; in Hoshangabad and Seoni-Malwa tahsils of Hoshangabad district; in Chhindwara district *except* in Seoni sub-division thereof; and in Sagar district *except* in Damoh sub-division thereof). कतिया

34,356

21 Khangar (in Bhandara, Buldana and Sagar districts; and in Hoshangabad and Seoni-Malwa tahsils of Hoshangabad district). खांगर

6,735



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कोरी

- 22 Kori (in Amravati, Balaghat, Betul, Bhandara, Buldana, Chhindwara, Jabalpur, Mandla, Nimar, Raipur, Sagar, Drug, Bastar, Sarguja and Raigarh districts; and in Hoshangabad district *except* in Harda and Sohagpur tahsils thereof).

28,145

माडगी

- 23 Madgi (in Akola, Amravati, Buldana, Yeotmal, Balaghat, Bhandara, Chanda, Nagpur and Wardha districts).

11,054

महार या मेहरा

- 24 Mahar or Mehra (throughout the State *except* in Harda and Sohagpur tahsils of Hoshangabad district).

14,18,279

रुइझार

- 25 Ruizhar (in Sohagpur tahsil of Hoshangabad district).

1,425



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<p><i>Throughout the State :</i></p> <p>Castes, races or tribes, or parts of, or groups within castes ■ tribes specified as Scheduled Castes in relation to the State of Assam.</p>							
				<p><i>Throughout the State</i></p> <p>Castes, races ■ tribes, or parts of, or groups within castes or tribes specified ■ Scheduled Castes in relation to the State of Assam.</p>	<p><i>Throughout the State</i></p> <p>1 Bansphor</p> <p>2 Bhuinnali or Mali</p> <p>3 Brittal-Bania ■ Bania</p> <p>4 Dhupi or Dhobi</p> <p>5 Dubla or Dholi</p> <p>6 Hira</p> <p>7 Jhalo or Malo, Jhalo-Malo.</p> <p>8 Kaibartta or Jaliya</p> <p>9 Lalbegi</p> <p>10 Mahara</p> <p>11 Mehtar or Bhangi</p> <p>12 Muchi, Ravidas</p> <p>13 Namasudra</p> <p>14 Patni</p> <p>15 Sutradhar</p> <p>16 Yaithibi.</p>		

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1	■	3	4	5	6	7	8

I. Throughout the State except in Bellary District:

1	Adi Dravida . .	आदि द्राविड़	..		1 Mochi . .	मोची	..
■	Adi Karnataka .	आदि कर्नाटक	12,78,497		2 Handi Jogi . .	हांडी जोगी	..
3	Banjara or Lambani	बनजारा या लंबाणी	82,267		3 Ganti Chores . .	गंटी चोर	..
4	Bhovi . .	..	2,10,725		4 Kepmaris . .	..	..
5	Koracha . .	कोरचा	15,446		5 Sillekeyathas . .	..	..
6	Korana . .	कोरमा	21,886		6 Dakkaliga . .	..	..

II. In Bellary District :

1	Adi Andhra . .	आदि आन्ध्र	..		7 Machala . .	..	..
■	Adi Dravida . .	आदि द्राविड़	..		8 Sudugadu-Siddha . .	..	..
3	Adi Karnataka .	आदि कर्नाटक	..		9 Parila . .	..	..
4	Ajila . .	अजिला	..		10 Harijan . .	..	..
5	Arunthaluiyar . .	अरुंधियार	..				
6	Baira . .	..	..		

7	Rakuta . . .	बकुड़	..
8	Bandi . . .	बंडी	..
9	Bariki . . .	बारिकि	..
10	Bavuri . . .	बावुरि	..
11	Bellara . . .	..	..
12	Byagari . . .	..	..
13	Chachati . . .	चच्चटि	..
14	Chakkiliyan . . .	चक्किलियान	..
15	Chalavadi . . .	चलवादि	..
16	Chamar . . .	चमार	..
17	Chandala . . .	चान्डाल	..
18	Cheruman . . .	चेरुमन	..
19	Dandasi . . .	दन्दासी	..
20	Devandrakulathan . . .	देवेन्द्रकुलतन	..
21	Dom or Dombars, Paidi, Pano.	डोम, डोम्बरा, पेदी, पानो	..
22	Ghasi or Haddi Relli Sachandi.	घासी, हड्डी रेल्ली साचंदि	..
23	Godagali . . .	गोडगलि	..
24	Godari . . .	गोडारी	..
25	Godda . . .	..	..
26	Gosangi . . .	गोसांगि	..



46	Mala Dasu	.	..	..
47	Malasar	.	मालासर	..
48	Matangi	.	मातंगी	..
49	Mavilan	.	..	..
50	Moger	.	..	..
51	Muchi	.	मुचि	..
52	Mundala	.	मुन्डाला	..
53	Nalakeyava	.	..	..
54	Nayadi	.	नायादि	..
55	Pagadai	.	..	..
56	Painda	.	..	..
57	Paky	.	..	..
58	Pallan	.	..	..
59	Pambada	.	पम्बाडा	..
60	Pamidi	.	..	..
61	Panan	.	..	..
62	Panchama	.	पंचम	..
63	Panniandi
64	Paraiyan
65	Paravan	.	परवन	..
66	Pulayan	.	पुलयन	..



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67	Puthirai Vannan				
68	Raneyar				
69	Samagara				
70	Samban				
71	Sapari				
72	Semman				
73	Thoti				
74	Tiruvalluvar				
75	Valluvan				
76	Valmiki				
77	Vettuvan				




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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Adi Andhra	आदि आन्ध्रा	..	1 Kumbhar (recommended for inclusion in Other Backward Classes).	1 Baghuti (to be added with Bagheti).
2	Amant or Amat	अमान्त या अमात	2,510	2 Sukuli (recommended for inclusion in Other Backward Classes).	2 Barik (to be added with Bariki).
3	Audhelia	औधोलिया	..	3 Bhumij (recommended for inclusion in S. T.).	3 Bhoi
4	Badaik	बाडिक	..	4 Desua/Bhumij (recommended for inclusion in S. T.).	4 Chandhai Maru
5	Bagheti	बाघेति	..	5 Dharua (recommended for inclusion in S. T.).	5 Chakali
6	Bajikar	बाजिकर	..	6 Gunju or Ganju (recommended for inclusion in O. B. C.).	6 Danda Chatra-Majhi

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
7	Bari . . .	बारि	..	7 Pradhan (recommended for inclusion in S. T.).	7 Duria Dom (may be put with Dom).	..	..
8	Bariki . . .	बारिक	..		8 Ghani . . .	..	..
9	Basor or Burud . . .	बाउरुद	..		9 Gondo . . .	..	..
10	Bauri . . .	बाऊरि	..		10 Gorait or Korait . . .	..	..
11	Bauti . . .	बाउटि	..		11 Khodalo (to be added with Kodalo).	..	..
12	Bavuri . . .	बाभुरि	1,93,873		12 Kusta . . .	..	..
13	Bedia or Bija . . .	वेदिया या बेजिया	..		13 Kummari . . .	..	..
14	Beldar . . .	बेलदार	858		14 Malo, Zala . . .	..	..
15	Bhata . . .	भाट	3,800		15 Musahar . . .	..	..
16	Bhumij . . .	भूमिज	1,19,045		16 Namasudra . . .	..	..
17	Chachati . . .	चाचति	..		17 Sauntia (Santia) . . .	..	..
18	Chamar . . .	चमार	47,266		18 Tanla . . .	..	..
19	Chandala (Chandal)	चान्डाल (चन्डाल)	..		19 Ujia . . .	..	..
20	Cherua or Chhelia . . .	चेरुआ या चेलिया	..				
21	Dandasi . . .	दन्दासि	..				
22	Desuabhumij . . .	देसुआभूमिज	..				
23	Dewar . . .	देवार	..				



24	Dhanwar . . .	धानवार	
25	Dharua . . .	धारूआ	
26	Dhoba or Dhobi . . .	धोबा या धोबी	1,73,781
27	Dom or Dombo . . .	डोम या डम्ब	1,37,920
28	Dosadha . . .	दोसाध	5
29	Ganda . . .	गन्ड	2,88,202
30	Ghantarghada or Ghanra . . .	घन्टरघड़ा या घन्टरा	1,026
31	Ghasi or Ghasia . . .	घासि या घासिआ	35,853
32	Ghogia . . .	घोगिआ	..
33	Ghusuria . . .	घुसुरिवा	2,164
34	Godagali . . .	गोदागली	..
35	Godari . . .	गोदारी	..
36	Godra . . .	गोद्रा	1,821
37	Gokha . . .	गोखा	57,010
38	Gunju or Ganju . . .	गुन्जु या गान्जु	
39	Haddi or Hadi or Hari . . .	हाड्डी या हाडि या हरि	60,258
40	Irika . . .	ईरिका	389
41	Jaggali . . .	जागली	..
42	Kandra or Kandara . . .	कन्ड्रा या कन्डरा	1,81,872
43	Karua . . .	कारूआ	..

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44	Katia . . .	काटिया	..				
45	Kela . . .	केला	11,131				
46	Khadala . . .	खडाल	..				
47	Kodalo . . .	कोदाल	..				
48	Kori . . .	कोरि	..				
49	Kumbhar . . .	कुम्भार	..				
50	Kurunga . . .	कुरुंग	..				
51	Laban . . .	लाबण	..				
52	Laheri . . .	लाहेरी	..				
53	Madari . . .	मदारी	..				
54	Madiga . . .	मदिगा	..				
55	Mahuria . . .	महुरिया	2,801				
56	Mala or Jhala . . .	मल्ल या झल्ल	185				
57	Mang . . .	मांग	..				
58	Mangan . . .	मनान	216				
59	Mehra or Mahar . . .	मेहर या महार	10,009				
60	Mehtar or Bhangi . . .	मेहतर या भंगी	..				
61	Mewar . . .	मेवार	..				

62	Mochi or Muchi	मोची या मुची	3,588
63	Mundapotta	मुण्डपोता	..
64	Nagarchi	नगारची	..
65	Paidi	पेडि	..
66	Painda	पेन्डा	..
67	Pamidi	पामिडि	..
68	Pan or Pano	पाण या पाणे	4,83,859
69	Panchama	पंचमा	..
70	Panika	पानिक	..
71	Panka	पंका	..
72	Pantanti	पाणतन्ति	..
73	Pap	पाप	..
74	Pasi	पासी	..
75	Patial or Patikar or Patrantanti or Patua.	पाटिआल या पाटकार या पात्रतन्ति या पाटुआ	..
76	Pradhan	प्रधान	..
77	Rajna	राजन	..
78	Relli	रेली	..
79	Sabakhia	शवाखिया	..
80	Samasi	समासि	..
81	Sanci	सेनेई	..



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
82	Sapari . . .	सपारी	..				
83	Satnami . . .	सतनामी	..				
84	Sidhria . . .	सिद्धरिया	..				
85	Sinduria . . .	सिन्दूरिया	..				
८६	Siyal . . .	सियाल	10,882				
87	Sukuli . . .	सिकुली	..				
८८	Tamadia . . .	तमादिया	..				
89	Tamudia . . .	टामुदिया	..				
90	Tiar or Tior . . .	तिअर या तिओर	9,803				
91	Turi . . .	तुरी	1,400				
92	Valamiki or Valmiki	वालमिकी या वाल्मिकी	..				

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<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Ad Dharmi	आद धर्मी	..	1 Bhedkut	भेडकुट	(Not available)	
2	Bangali	बंगाली	207	2 Barar/Barar (to be added with Barar).	बरड़, बरड़	Ditto	
3	Barar	बरड़	694	3 Gandil Gondola (to be added with Gandhilla).	गन्दील गान्दोला	Ditto	
4	Batwal	बटवाल	4	4 Manesh (to be added with Sansi).	मनेश	Ditto	
5	Bawaria	बौरिया	2,228	5 Raigar	रंगर	Ditto	
6	Bazigar	बाजीगर	4,506				
7	Balmiki or Chura	बालमीकी या चूड़ा	84,352				
8	Bhanjra	भंजड़ा	296				
9	Chamar	चमार	70,757				
10	Chanal	चनाल	4,165				
11	Dagi	दागी	12,171				

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
12	Dhanak . . .	धानक	29,570				
13	Dumna or Mahasha .	डुमना या महाशा	735				
14	Gagra . . .	गगड़ा	123				
15	Gandhila . . .	गंधीला	438				
16	Kabirpanthi . . .	कबीरपन्थी	..				
17	Khatik . . .	खटीक	2,288				
18	Kori or Koli . . .	कोरी या कोली	932				
19	Marija or Marecha .	मरीजा या मरीचा	..				
20	Mazhabi . . .	मजहबी	116				
21	Megh . . .	मेघ	1				
22	Nat . . .	नट	245				
23	Od . . .	ओड	6				
24	Pasi . . .	पासी	142				
25	Perna . . .	पेरना	7				
26	Pherera . . .	फरेरा	..				
27	Ramdasi or Ravidasi	रामदासी या रविदासी	383				
28	Sanhai . . .	सनहई	..				
29	Sanhal . . .	सनहाल	..				

30	Sansi	.	.	.	सांसी	3,114
31	Sapera	.	.	.	सपेरा	44
32	Sarera	.	.	.	सरेरा	11
33	Sikligar	.	.	.	सिकलीगर	26
34	Sirkiband	.	.	.	सिरकीबन्द	272



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<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Ad Dharmi . . .	आदधर्मी	..	1	Bauria . . .	बावरिया	(Not available)
2	Bangali . . .	बंगाली	383	2	Bhangi . . .	भंगी	Ditto
3	Barar . . .	बरड़	2,566	3	Bhedkut . . .	भेड़कुट	Ditto
4	Batwal . . .	बटवाल	9,283	4	Darain . . .	दराई	Ditto
5	Bawaria . . .	बावरिया	9,298	5	Dhaughri/Sippi	घौगरी, सीपी	Ditto
6	Bazigar . . .	बाजीगर	8,476	6	Doom . . .	डोम	Ditto
7	Balmiki or Chura . . .	बाल्मीकि या चूड़ा	2,55,205	7	Jatia Chamar/Rahgar (Raigar).	जटिया चमार, (रेगर)	Ditto
8	Bhanjra . . .	भंजड़ा	2,210	8	Julaha . . .	जुलाहा	Ditto
9	Chamar . . .	चमार	5,28,646	9	Lalbegi . . .	लालबेगी	Ditto
10	Chanal . . .	चनाल	1,148	10	Sansoi . . .	सांसोई	Ditto
11	agi . . .	दागी	55,522				

12	Dhanak . . .	धानक	81,544
13	Dumna or Mahasha .	डुमना या महाशा	13,867
14	Gagra . . .	गगड़ा	62
15	Gandhila . . .	गंधीला	698
16	Kabirpanthi . . .	कबीरपंथी	..
17	Khatik . . .	खटीक	10,255
18	Kori or Koli . . .	कोरी या कोली	10,155
19	Marija or Marecha .	मरीजा या मरीचा	3
20	Mazhabi . . .	मझहबी	944
21	Megh . . .	मेघ	1,277
22	Nat . . .	नट	1,393
23	Od . . .	ओड	171
24	Pasi . . .	पासी	1,297
25	Perna . . .	पेरना	379
26	Pherera . . .	फरेरा	..
27	Randasi or Ravidasi .	रामदासी	12,215
28	Sanhai . . .	सन्हाई	..



1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
29	Sanhal . . .	सन्हाल	15,000				
30	Sansi . . .	सांसी	1,203				
31	Sapela . . .	सपेला	7,879				
32	Sarera . . .	सरेरा	81				
33	Sikligar . . .	सिकलीगर	4,316				
34	Sirkiband . . .	सिरकीबन्द					

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Adi Dharmi	आदि धर्मी	2,531		Bairwa/Berwa	बैरवा, बेरवा	(Not available)
2	Aheri	आहेरी	53,454		Balai	बलाई	2,42,381
3	Badi	बदी	6,982		Bhambhi	भम्बी	2,21,087
4	Bagri	बागरी	27,497		Bola	बोला	30,597
5	Bajgar	बाजगर	8,030		Chandal	चांडाल	2,021
6	Bansphor	बांसफोर	3,316		Jatav/Jatia	जाटव, जाटिया	37,546
7	Bargi	बारगी	8,385		Jingar	जीनगर	239
8	Bawaria	बावरिया	30,500		Kanjar	कंजर	(Not available)
9	Bhand	भांड	12,918		Khatik (in place of Khatka),	खटीक	93,974
10	Bhangi	..	1,43,078		Koli/Kori	कोली, कोरी	1,08,282
11	Bidakia	बिदाकिया	6,158		Megh/Meghwal	मेघ, मेघवाल	1,09,760
12	Chamar	चमार	7,22,592		Salvi	सालवी	356
13	Chura	चूरा	10,963		Sargara	सरगड़ा	43,490

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
14	Dabgar . . .	दाबगर	6,870				
15	Dhankia . . .	धांकिया	23,324				
16	Dheda . . .	ढेड	12,549				
17	Dome . . .	डोम	1,878				
18	Gandia . . .	गान्धिया	289				
19	Garancha Mehtar . . .	गरन्चा मेहतर	328				
20	Godhi . . .	गोधी	1,746				
21	Jatia . . .	जाटिया	27,439				
22	Kalbelia . . .	काल्बेलिया	13,129				
23	Kapadia Sausi . . .	कापडिया सांसी	325				
24	Khangar . . .	खानगर	8,429				
25	Khatka . . .	खटका	16,984				
26	Kooh Band . . .	कुचबन्द	2,046				
27	Koria . . .	कोरिया	4,782				
28	Kunjar . . .	कुनजर	16,817				
29	Madari (Bazigar) . . .	मदारी (बाजीगर)	1,668				
30	Majhabi . . .	माजहबी	8,832				
31	Mehtar . . .	मेहर	23,578				

32	Mehar	.	.	मेहतर	40,354
33	Mochi	.	.	मोची	34,355
34	Nut	.	.	नट	19,092
35	Pasi	.	.	पासी	5,755
36	Raigar	.	.	रेगर	1,44,847
37	Ramdasia	.	.	रामदासिया	4,535
38	Rawal	.	.	रावल	13,497
39	Sarbhang	.	.	सरभंगी	1,576
40	Singiwala	.	.	सिंगीवाला	413
41	Sansi	.	.	सांसी	29,210
42	Thori	.	.	थोरी	6,739
43	Tirgar	.	.	तीरगर	3,180
44	Valmiki	.	.	वाल्मिकी	2,803

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1	■	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Bawa (Theth)	बावा (ठेठ)	78,236		Khalpa . . .	खाल्पा	(Not available)
2	Bhangi . . .	भंगी	33,676		Rohit . . .	रोहित	Ditto
3	Chamadia . . .	चामडिया	..				
4	Ch amar . . .	चमार	71,763				
5	Dangashia . . .	डांगशिया	..				
6	Garoda . . .	गरोडा	3,114				
7	Garnatang . . .	गरमातंग	..				
8	Hadi . . .	हाडी	..				
9	Meghwal . . .	मेघवाल	5,853				
10	Senva . . .	सेनवा	..				
11	Shemalia . . .	शेमालीया	..				
12	Thori . . .	थोरी	..				
13	Turi . . .	तुरी	410				
14	Turi-Barot . . .	तुरी बारोट	..				
15	Vankar . . .	वणकर	1,88,174				

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State:</i>							
1	Ayyanavar	अय्यनवर	..	Eravalan (recommended for inclusion in S. T.).	1 Araya	आर्य	..
2	Bharatar	भरतार	366	2 Aryavathi	अर्यवती
3	Chakkiliyan	चक्किलियन्	9,336	3 Mukkuvan	मुक्कुवन्
4	Domban	डोम्बन्	..	4 Valan	वालान्
5	Eravalan	एरवालन्	719	5 Boyan	बोयान्
6	Kakkalan	काक्कालन्	3,186	6 Cheramar (Pulayan)
7	Kanakkan	कणक्कन्	17,525	7 Madigas	मादिगास
8	Kavara	कावरा	1,049	8 Tholkollan	थोल्कलान्
9	Kootan (Koodan)	कूटन (कूडन)	302	9 Perumkollan	पेरुम्कलान्
10	Kuravan	कुरवन	1,15,762				
11	Mannan	मण्णान्	1,695				
12	Nayadi	नायाडी	394				

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13	Padannan	. . . पडन्नन्	..				
14	Pallan	. . . पल्लन्	42,651				
15	Palluvan	. . . पल्लवान्	926				
16	Panan	. . . पाणन्	9,851				
17	Paravan	. . . परवन्	18,071				
18	Parayan (Sambayar)	परयन् (सांबयान्)	1,09,731				
19	Pathiyan	. . . पतियान्	..				
20	Perumanan	. . . पेरुमनान	..				
21	Pulayan	. . . पुलयान्	3,84,442				
22	Thandan	. . . तण्डान्	47,457				
23	Ulladian	. . . उल्लाडन्	..				
24	Uraly	. . . ऊराली	5,181				
25	Vallon	. . . वल्लोन्					
26	Valluvan	. . . वल्लुवन्	282				
27	Vannan	. . . वण्णन्	18,434				
28	Velan	. . . वेलन्	52,509				
29	Vetan	. . . वेटन्	12,935				
30	Vettuvan	. . . वेटवन्	17,335				

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Bagdi	..	50		Kanda
2	Baiti	..	667		Musahar
3	Bhunar	..	25				
4	Chamar	..	1,455				
5	Dandasi				
6	Dhenuar				
7	Dhoba	..	1,298				
8	Duai				
9	Dum	..	969				
10	Ghasi	..	150				
11	Gour				
12	Gunar				
13	Gur				
14	Gurang	..	229				
15	Jalia Kaibarta	..	356				
16	Kahar	..	380				

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17	Kalindi
18	Kan	603
19	Kanugh
20	Keot	88
21	Kharia	69
22	Khadit
23	Khencha
24	Koch	112
25	Koir . . . . .	..	..	340	..	..	..
26	Kol . . . . .	..	..	..	..	..	..
27	Kora . . . . .	..	..	287	..	..	..
28	Kotal . . . . .	..	..	17	..	..	..
29	Mali . . . . .	..	..	5,628	..	..	..
30	Bhuimali . . . . .	..	..	2,271	..	..	..
31	Mehar	147
32	Muchi	891
33	Namsudra	8,318
34	Patni	2,055
35	Sabar
36	Mahisyadas	1,992

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State:</i>							
1	Agariya . . .	अगरिया	6,892	Bhoksa	1 Aheriya	आहेरिया	..
2	Badi . . .	बादी	..	Gond (recommended for inclusion among Scheduled Tribes throughout the State).	2 Balai	बलाई	..
3	Badhik . . .	बाधिक	1,593		3 Bayar	बयार	..
4	Baheliya . . .	बहेलिया	13,552		4 Khatik	खटीक	..
5	Baiga . . .	बैगा	..		5 Kolta	कोल्ता	..
6	Baiswar . . .	बैसवार	2,71,169		6 Kori	कोरी	..
7	Bajaniya . . .	बजानिया	..		7 Mochi	मोची	..
8	Bajgi . . .	बाजगी	..		8 Musahar	मुसाहर	..
9	Balahar . . .	बलहार	..		9 Tarnali (may be put with Pasi).
10	Balmiki . . .	बालमिकी	..				
11	Bangali . . .	बंगाली	..				

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
12	Bannanus	• बनमानुस	..				
13	Bansphor	• बासफोड़	..				
14	Barwar	• बरवार	5,028				
15	Basor	• बसोड़	..				
16	Bawariya	• बाबरिया	..				
17	Beldar	• बेलदार	51,524				
18	Beriya	• बेरिया	..				
19	Bhantu	• भंटू	..				
20	Bhoksa	• भोक्सा	281				
■	Bhuiya	• भूइया	658				
22	Bhuyiar	• भूइयार	6				
23	Boria	• बोरिया	..				
24	Chamar	• चमार	73,53,486				
25	Chero	• चैरो	5,569				
26	Dabgar	• दबगर	765				
27	Dhangar	• धनगर	..				
28	Dhanuk	• धानुक	..				
29	Dharkar	• धरकार	..				

30	Dhobi . . .	घोबो	7,77,241
31	Dhusia or Jhusia . . .	धूसिया, झूसिया	..
32	Dom . . .	डोम	..
33	Domar . . .	डोमार	..
34	Dusadh . . .	दुसाध	79,485
35	Gharami . . .	घरामी	..
36	Ghasiya . . .	घासिया	786
37	Gual . . .	गुवाल	..
38	Habura . . .	हबुडा	2,224
39	Hari . . .	हारी	..
40	Hela . . .	हेला	..
41	Jatava . . .	जाटव	..
42	Kalabaz . . .	कलाबाज	..
43	Kanjar . . .	कंजर	10,115
44	Kapariya . . .	कापडिया	936
45	Karwal . . .	करवाल	126
46	Khairaha . . .	खैराहा	692
47	Kharot . . .	खारोत	415
48	Kharwar (excluding Banbasi)	खरवार (वनवासी को छोड़ कर)	4,334
49	Kol . . .	कोल	78,747

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50	Korwa . . .	कोरवा	2,776				
51	Lalbegi . . .	लालबेगी	..				
52	Majhwar . . .	मझवार	19,886				
53	Nat . . .	नट	27,361				
54	Pankha . . .	पंखा	3,609				
55	Parahiya . . .	पराहिया	538				
56	Pasi . . .	पासी	16,47,818				
57	Patari . . .	पटारी	418				
58	Rawat . . .	रावत	..				
59	Saharya . . .	सहारिया	7,690				
60	Sanaurhiya . . .	सनौरहिया	36				
61	Sansiya . . .	सांसिया	999				
62	Shilpkar . . .	शिल्पकार	3,88,135				
63	Turaiha . . .	तुराहा	..				
II. In Bundelkhand Division and the portion of Mirzapur District south of Kaimur Range :—							
	Gond . . .		5,922				

VINDHYA PRADESH

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Basor (Bansphor)	बसोर, बांसफोर	37,514	Dahait—synonym for kol; therefore recommended for inclusion in the list of Scheduled Tribes.	1 Ahirwar (may be put with Chamar)	अहीरवार	
2	Chamar or Jatav	चमार या जाटव	4,19,412		2 Baheliya (Vhela)	बहेलिया, व्हेला	
3	Dahait	दाहाइट	1,542		3 Balmik, Lalbegi	बालमीक, लालबेगी	
4	Dharkar	धरकार	5,920		4 Beldar, Sunkar	बेलदार, सुनकार	
5	Dher	ढेर	3		5 Chamar Mangar, Bhariya (may be put with Chamar).	चमार मंगर, भारिया	
6	Dom	डोम	523		6 Dhobi	धोबी	
7	Domar or Doris	डोमार	3,715		7 Ghasia	घासिया	
8	Kuchbandhia	कुचबंदिया	742		8 Kabutar (may be put with Nat).	कबूतर	
9	Mchiar or Bhangar or Dhanuk.	मेहतर या भंगी या धानुक	6,178		9 Khatik	खटीक	


1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
10	Mochi . . .	मोची	685	10	Kotwal, Kotwar .	कोतवाल, कोतवार	
				11	Kumhar . . .	कुम्हार	
				12	Mahar . . .	महोर	
				13	Moghia (may be put with 'Baheliya').	मोघिया	
				14	Muskhan . . .	मुसखान	
				15	Nat, Navdigar, Sapera	नट, नवदीगर, सपेरा	
				16	Pasi . . .	पासी	
				17	Phansi (may be put with 'Baheliya').	फांसी	
				18	Raidas (may be put with 'Chamar').	रैदास	
				19	Sahariya . . .	सहरिया	
				20	Sansia, Bedia . . .	सांसिया, बेदिया	
				21	Shilpakar . . .	शिल्पकार	

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Bagdi	बागदी	9,04,361	1 Bhumij (Recommended for S. Ts.).	1 Basfore	बासफोर	..
2	Bahelia	बाहेलिया	369	■ Kasha	2 Bhalla	भाल्ला	..
3	Baiti	बाईती	4,393	3 Kora (Recommended for S. Ts.).	3 Charnakar (to be added with Chamar).	..	..
4	Bauri	बाऊरी	3,33,531	4 Lodha (Recommended for S. Ts.).	4 Dalui/Dalai	दलुई, दलाई	..
5	Bediya	बेदिया	11,043	5 Mahali (Recommended for S. Ts.).	5 Damai (Nepali)	..	..
6	Beldar	बेलदार	1,089	6 Malpahariya (Recommended for S. Ts.).	6 Dhangar	..	..
7	Bhumali	भुइमाली	19,399	7 Nagasia (Recommended for S. Ts.).	7 Dulay	दूले	..
8	Bhuiya	भुइया	64,063	8 Rabha (Recommended for S. Ts.).	8 Gainay (Nepali)	..	..
9	Bhumij	भूमिज	86,439	9 Hadi	9 Hadi	..	..
10	Bind	बिन्द	18,881	10 Halakhor	10 Halakhor	हलखोर	..
11	Chamar	चमार	87,692	11 Kami (Nepali)	11 Kami (Nepali)	..	..
12	Dhoba	धोबा	70,570	12 Keot, Keyot	12 Keot, Keyot	..	..

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
13	Doai . . .	दोभाई	1,936		13 Kharial . . .	..	..
14	Dom . . .	डोम	1,10,348		14 Korangas . . .	..	..
15	Dosadh . . .	दोसाध	30,133		15 Maghaiya Dom (to be added with Dom)	..	..
16	Ghasi . . .	घासी	3,534		16 Majhi, Dandmajhi, Gulimajhi.	..	..
17	Gonrhi . . .	गंडी	2,253		17 Matia . . .	..	..
18	Hari . . .	हाड़ी	96,189		18 Nikari . . .	निकारी	..
19	Jalia Kaibarta . . .	जालिया, कैबर्त	83,969		19 Poundra (to be added with Pod).	..	..
20	Jhalo Malo III Malo . . .	झालो मालो, मालो	46,595		20 Ravidas/Mochi, Ravidas (to be added with Muchi).	..	..
21	Kadar . . .	कादर	597		21 Sarki (Nepali) . . .	..	..
22	Kandra . . .	कांदरा	1,323		22 Sunri (excluding Saha)	..	..
23	Kaora . . .	कभौरा	1,31,588		23 Tentulia Bagdi (to be added with Bagdi).	..	..
24	Karenga . . .	कारंगा	8,704				
25	Kastha . . .	कास्थ	474				
26	Kaur . . .	कौर	1,161				
27	Khaira . . .	खयरा	43,987				



28	Khatik . . .	खटीक	3,633
29	Koch . . .	कोच	931
30	Konai . . .	कोनाई	32,422
31	Konwar . . .	कनउयार	3,462
32	Kora . . .	कोड़ा	43,454
33	Kotal . . .	कोटाल	7,810
34	Lalbegi . . .	लालबेगी	435
35	Lodha . . .	लोधा	68,346
36	Lohar . . .	लोहार	63,680
37	Mahar . . .	माहार	4,206
38	Mahli . . .	माहली	26,331
39	Mal . . .	माल	91,097
40	Mallah . . .	माल्ला	21,529
41	Malpahariya . . .	मालपहाडिया	4,813
42	Mehrar . . .	मेवर	35,803
43	Muchi . . .	मूची	2,81,669
44	Musahar . . .	मुसाहार	9,732
45	Nagesia . . .	नगैसिया	2,406
46	Namasudra . . .	नमसूद्र	3,24,723
47	Nuniya . . .	नूनिया	24,148
48	Paliya . . .	पालिया	12,125

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49	Pan	.	.	पान	1,337		
50	Pasi	.	.	पासी	22,761		
51	Patni	.	.	पाटनी	33,034		
52	Pod	.	.	पोद	5,93,093		
53	Rabha	.	.	राभा	5,113		
54	Rajbanshi	.	.	राजवंशी	7,72,619		
55	Rajwar	.	.	राजवार	25,701		
56	Sunri	.	.	सुंड़ि	45,153		
57	Tiyar	.	.	तियार	41,978		
58	Turi	.	.	तुड़ी	18,040		

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<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
Bhil	.	भील	9,816		Bhil Mina	भील मीणा	(Not available)

ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
None							
				1	Andamanese
				2	Jarawa
				3	Nicobarese
				4	Sentinelese
				5	Onges
				6	Shompen

ANDHRA

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<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Bagatas . . .	बगोट	..	1 Yerukulas . .	यरुकुला
2	Chenchu . . .	चेंचु	..	2 Yenadi . .	यनादि
3	Gandabas . .	गांडब	..	3 Sugalis/Lambadi .	सुगाली, लंबाड़ी
4	Jatpas . . .	जटपा	..	4 Valmiki (agency area)	वाल्मीकि
5	Kummare . .	कुम्मेर	..				
6	Kotia, Benthoo, Oriya, Barthika, Dhulla, Dulia, Holva, Paika, Putiya, Samrona, and Sidhopaiko Haolva.	कोटिया, बेंतो, बार्तिक, धुल्ला या दूलिय, होल्वा, पेक पुटिया, सरौना सिधोपेको होल्वा	..				
7	Konda Dhoras .	कोंड दोर	..				
8	Konda Kapus .	कोंड कापु	..				
9	Kondareddis .	कोंडरेड्डि	..				

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- 10 Koyas Desaya, Kar-
dhus, Dongra Kon-
dhas, Kuttiya,
Mondhus, Thikiri-
vakondhas, and Ye-
nity Kondhs or
Goud with its sub-
sects, Rajah or
Rasha Koyas, Lin-
gudhari Koyas (or-
dinary) and Kottu
Koyas.
- 11 Katunagakan . कटुनागकन
- 12 Kondhs, Desay Kon-
dhus, Dongra
Kondhs, Kuttiya
Kondhs, Tikiriya
Kondhs, and Yenity
Kondhs.
- 13 Moona Dhora . मूनदोर
- 14 Nooka Dhora or
Mukha Dhora.
- 15 Porja (a) . पोर्ज
- 16 Reddi-Dhoras . रेड्डीदोर
- 17 Savaras-Kapu, Sava-
ras-Maliya, Sava-
ras-Khutu, Sava-
ras.
- कोय, देसाय, काई, दोंगिर
कोड, कुट्टिय, कोडु तिकि-
रिय कोड, योनित कोड या
गोड राज या राश कोय,
लिंगधारी कोय, कोट्टुकोय
- कोडु, दोसयि कोडु, डोंग्र
कोडु, कुट्टिय कोडु, तिकि-
रिय कोडु, येनित कोडु
- सुनदोर
- नुकदोर, मुखदोर
- पोर्ज
- रेड्डीदोर
- सवर कापु, सवर मालिय,
सवर कपु, सवर
सवर खुतु, सवर

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I. In the Autonomous Districts:							
1	Dimasas (Kachari)	डिमासा (कचारी)	..		1 Biata or Biets
2	Garos	गारो	..		2 Chakma	चक्रमा	..
3	Hajongs	हाजंग	..		3 Changsan
4	Khasi and Jaintia	खासी और जयन्तीया	..		4 Chongloi
5	Any Kuki Tribes (Sitlhou, Lhouvn, Chongloi, Hong-sungb, Haokip or Haupt, Kipgen, Doungel, Mangel, Lhoujem, Vaiphei, Lenthang, Thanggeu, Kholhou, Gam-lhou, Hanneng, Hengna, Lhangum, Changsan, Guite, Gangte, Misao, Luphteng, Uibub, Jongbe, Haolai, Singon, Selnam, Khelma Thado, Hrangkhwai or	कुकि	..		5 Doungel
					6 Gamalhou
					7 Gangte
					8 Guite
					9 Hanneng
					10 Haokip or Haupt
					11 Haolai
					12 Hengna
					13 Hmar	हमार	..

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Rangkhoh, Sairhem,
Khawathlang or
Khothalang, Khaw-
chung, Biate or
Biete, Rieng and
Sukte).

6 Lakhur . . . लखेर

7 Any Lushai (Mizo)
tribes. लुशाई (मेजो)

8 Mikir . . . मिकिर

9 Any Naga Tribe . नागा

10 Synteng . . . सिन्टेग

II. In the Tribal Areas other than the Autonomous Districts:

1 Abor . . . अबोर

2 Aka . . . आका

3 Apatani . . . अपाटानी

4 Dafla . . . डफला

5 Galong . . . गालंग

6 Khampati . . . खामपति

7 Mishmi . . . मिछिमि

8 Any Naga Tribe . नागा

9 Singpho . . . सिफो

14 Hongsung

15 Hrangkhwal
Rangkhoh. or

16 Jongbe . . .

17 Khasi and Jaintia
(including Khasi
Synteng or Pnar,
War, Bhoi and
Lynggam).

18 Khawchung . . .

19 Khawathlang
Khothalang. or

20 Khelma . . .

21 Kholhou . . .

22 Kipgen . . .

23 Kuki . . .

24 Lenthang . . .

25 Lhangum . . .

26 Lhoujem . . .

27 Lhouvun . . .

28 Lumpheng . . .

29 Man (Tai-speaking) मान

10	Momba . . .	मम्बा	..	30	Mangjel . . .	..	11
11	Sherdukpen . . .	शेरडुकपेन	..	31	Misao . . .	..	..
III. In the State of Assam excluding the Tribal Areas:							
1	Boro-Borokachari . . .	बड़ी-बड़ोकचारी	..	32	Pawi (to be put with Lakher). Riang . . .	पावी (लखेर के साथ) ..	..
2	Deori . . .	देउरी	..	34	Sairhem . . .	..	..
3	Hojai . . .	होजाई	..	35	Sehnam . . .	..	..
4	Kachari . . .	कचारी	..	36	Singson . . .	..	..
5	Lalung . . .	लालंग	..	37	Sitlhou . . .	..	..
6	Mech . . .	मेच	..	38	Sukte . . .	..	..
7	Miri . . .	मिरि	..	39	Thado . . .	..	..
8	Rabha . . .	राभा	..	40	Thanggeu . . .	..	..
				41	Uibuh . . .	..	..
				42	Vaiphei . . .	..	..
II. In the Tribal Areas other than the Autonomous Districts:							
					Khowa . . .	..	..
III. In the State of Assam excluding the Tribal Areas:							
				1	Aiton or Aitonia . . .	..	..
					(Tai speaking).
				2	Barmans in Cachar.
				3	Duani or Dwani
					(Tai speaking).
				4	Man (Tai speaking)

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					5 Nora or Khamjang (Tai speaking).
					6 Tai-Khamjyan (Tai speaking).
					7 Tai-Phakial (Tai speaking).
					8 Tai Shan (Tai speaking).
					9 Turcong or Turung (Tai speaking).

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<i>Throughout the State:</i>							
1	Bhil	. . . भील	1,266		1 Bhilala . . .	भिलाला	66
2	Gond	. . . गोंड	57,386		2 Daroi
3	Keer	. . . कीर	2,899		3 Kol . . .	कोल	65
4	Karku	. . . कोरकू	5,237				
5	Mogia	. . . मोगिया	629				
6	Pardhi	. . . पारधी	528				
7	Saharia, Soaia or Sor	सहरिया, सोइया या सौर	2,654				

BIHAR

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>I. Throughout the State:</i>							
<i>Throughout the State:</i>							
1	Asur	असुर	2,355	1 Agaria (Ironsmith only).	अगारिया		..
2	Baiga	बाँगा	..	2 Banjara	बनजरा		..
3	Bathudi	बठुदी	1,161	3 Bhogta
4	Bedia	बेदिया	34,465	4 Bhuinhar	भूइहर		..
5	Birjha	बिर्जिया	53,541	5 Bhuiya
6	Birhor	बिरहोर	2,380	6 Bhuiyan
7	Birjia	बिरजिया	1,803	7 Bhumij
8	Chero	चेरो	20,894	8 Bhunya-Ghatwar
9	Chik Baraik	चिक बराइक	34,603	9 Dhangad
10	Gond	गोंड	21,278	10 Dhanwar	धनवर		..
11	Gorait	गोराइत	6,612	11 Gadaba
12	Ho	हो	3,94,252	12 Ghatwar
13	Karnali	कर्माली	10,044	13 Juang

14	Kharia	खरिया	1,07,828	14	Kawar	कावर	..
15	Kharwar	खरवार	73,450	15	Khandait Paik	..	..
16	Khond	खोंड	..	16	Kosta	..	..
17	Kisan	किसान	14,658	17	Kumarbhag-Paheria	कुमारभाग पहाडिया	..
18	Kora	कोड	25,437	18	Lohra (To be added with Lohara).	..	..
19	Korwa	कोरवा	15,151	19	Mahli	..	..
20	Lohara	लोहार	..	20	Mehar	..	..
21	Mahli	माहली	64,287	21	Nagsia	..	..
22	Mal Paharia	माल पहरिया	43,560	22	Pahariya	..	..
23	Munda	मुंडा	5,51,778	23	Pahira	पहिरा	..
24	Oraon	उराँव	6,44,374	24	Pradhan	प्रधान	..
25	Parhaiya	परहैया	11,252	25	Rajwar	..	..
26	Santal	संथाल	1,62,920	26	Swansi, Sansi	..	..
27	Sauria Paharia	सोरिया पहाडिया	69,687	27	Tamaria	तमरिया	..
28	Savar	सावर	886	28	Tharu	थारू	..

II. In the Districts of Ranchi, Singhbhum, Hazaribagh, Santal Parganas and Manbhum:

Bhumij 2,00,587

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State:</i>							
1	Barda . . .	बर्डा			1 Chaudhri (in Surat district).	चौधरी	(Not available)
2	Bavacha . . .	बावचा	2,808		■ Konkna, Kokni Kumbhi (in the Dangs, Nasik and West Khandesh Distts.).	कोंकणा, कुकर्णा, कोकणी, कोकणी कुणबी	..
3	Bhil, including Bhagalia, Garasia, Bhil, Dungri, Bhil, Dungri, Garasia, Mewasi Bhil, Raval Bhil and Tadvil Bhil.	भील, भगालिया, भील, गरसिया, धोली भील, डुगरी भील, डुगरी गरसिया, मेवासी भील, रावल भील, तडवी भील	1,06,530		3 Kunbi (in district).	कुणबी	..
4	Chodhra . . .	चोधरा	1,19,747		4 Tadvil (in Khandesh Distt.).	तडवी	29,652
5	Dhanka . . .	धाणका	54,240		5 Talavia . . .	तलविया	1,61,930
6	Dhodia . . .	धोडिया	91,971				
7	Dubla . . .	दुबला	1,36,893				
8	Gamit or Gamta .	गामित या गामटा	1,01,341				
9	Gond . . .	गोंड	801				

10	Kathodi or Katkari . . .	काथोडी या कातकरी	1,25,529
11	Konkna . . .	कोंकणा	1,95,037
12	Koli Dhor . . .	कोली डोर	22,681
13	Koli Mahadav . . .	कोली महादेव	17,213
14	Mavchi . . .	मावची	47,481
15	Naikda or Nayak (Naika)	नायकडा या नायक	19,603
16	Pardhi, including Advichner and Phanse Pardhi.	पारधी समेत अडवीचिचर और फांसे पारधी	14,928
17	Patelia . . .	पटेलिया	765
18	Pomla . . .	पोमला	271
19	Powara . . .	पावरा	..
20	Rathawa . . .	राथवा	10
21	Thakur . . .	ठाकुर	1,56,283
22	Valvai . . .	वलवाई	5,000
23	Varli . . .	वारली	2,94,737
24	Vasava . . .	वसावा	33,220

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Korama	129				
2	Kudiya	551				
3	Kuruba	6,897				
4	Maratha	542				
5	Meda	98				
6	Yerava	12,867				

DELHI

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Sl. No.	Existing List	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951	Communities recommended for Exclusion	Communities recommended for Inclusion	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
None	None	None

HIMACHAL PRADESH

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Sl. No.	Existing List	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951	Communities recommended for Exclusion	Communities recommended for Inclusion	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>In Lahaul in Chamba District and in Spiti in Mahasu District</i>							
		..		1 Gaddi . . .		गढ़ी	13,311
				■ Gujjar . . .		गुज्जर	14,745
				3 Jad/Lamba/Khampa		जाड, लम्बा, खम्पा	(Not available)
				4 Kanaura . . .		कनोरा (कन्नर)	Ditto
				5 Lahaula . . .		लाहौला	Ditto
				6 Pangwala . . .		पंगवाल	Ditto
	Tibetan . . .	..				

N.B.—Tibetan (the existing name) is, in fact, the name of a language and Tibetans are actually the Jads and Kanauras hence the previous name has been replaced by the latter two.

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Andh	अन्ध	12,455		1 Bedar, Belda	बेडर (बेडा)	..
2	Bhil	भील	30,758		2 Ghisadi	घिसाडी (लोहार)	..
3	Chenchu, or Chenchuwar.	चेंचु, चेंचुवार	4,626		3 Koli	कोली	..
4	Gond (including Naikpod and Rajgond).	गोंड (नायकपोड एवं राजगोंड)	2,31,480		4 Lambada, Banjara, Laman (Lamani) Mathura Van-jara.	लम्बाडा, बंजारा, लमण, (लमणगी) माथुरा वनजारा	..
5	Hill Reddis	पहाड़ी रेड्डीज	..		5 Naikpod
6	Kolam (including Mannervaru),	कोलम एवं मन्नूर वालू	..		6. Vanjari
7	Koya (including Bhine Koya and Rajkoya).	कोया एवं राजकोया तथा भिने कोया	68,738		7 Yenandi	यनादी	..
					8 Yerukala	यरुकला	..
8	Pardhan	प्रधान	6,866				
9	Thoti	थोटी	..				

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Sl. No.	Existing List	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951	Communities recommended for Exclusion	Communities recommended for Inclusion	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State:</i>							
1	Bhil . . .	भील	718	Nil	Nil
2	Dhodia	2				
3	Koli . . .	कोली	13,407				
4	Paradhi . . .	पारधी	1,411				
5	Vaghri . . .	वाघरी	1,464				

MADRAS

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Sl. No.	Existing List	Hindi Equivalent	*Estimated Population, 1951	Communities recommended for Exclusion	Communities recommended for Inclusion	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State:</i>							
1	Aranadan	..	77		1 Kaniyan or Kanyan (Tinnevely and Coimbatore).	..	..
2	Bagata	..	43,813		2 Malayali (Salem)	..	87,164
3	Bhottadas-Bodo Bhot-tada, Muria Bhot-tada and Sano Bhot-tada.	..	713		3 Marati (South Kanara, Hill Tribes).	..	43,486
4	Bhumias-Bhuri Bhumia and Bodo Bhumia.	..	34,385		4 Malayekudi	..	..
5	Chenchu	..	10,304		5 Yerukulas	..	1,24,491
6	Gadabas-Boda Gadaba, Cerilam Gadaba, Franji Gadaba, Jodia Gadaba, Olaro Gadaba, Pangi Gadaba and Franga Gadaba.	..	59,558		6 Badaga	..	..
					7 Yenadis	..	1,89,350
7	Gondi-Modya Gond and Rajo Gond.	..	31,931				

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
8	Goudus-Bato, Bhirthya Dudhokouria, Hato, Jatako and Joria.	..	..		8 Kadar 9 Adiyen 10 Kurichans 11 Palliyen 12 Sugali 13 Kadu 14 Kurangan	..............	..............
9	Kosalva Goudus-Bosothoriya Goudus, Chitti Goudus, Dangayath Goudus, Doddu Kamariya, Dudu Kamaro, Ladiya Goudus and Pullesoriya Goudus.	..	..		
10	Magatha Goudus-Bernia Goudu, Boodo Magatha, Dongayath Goudu, Ladya Goudu, Ponna Magatha and Sana Magatha.	..	..		
11	Holva . . .	..	..		
12	Jadapus . . .	..	..		
13	Jatapus . . .	..	..		
14	Kammara . . .	..	1,87,789				
15	Kattunayakan . .	..	2,019				
16	Khattis-Khatti, Kommarao and Lohara.	..	..		
17	Kodu . . .	..	..		
18	Kommar . . .	..	..		
19	Konda Dhoras . .	..	1,04,875				



20	Konda Kapus . . .	..	..
21	Kondariddis . . .	..	..
22	Kondha-Desaya, Kondha, Dongria Kondha, Kutiya Kondha, Tikiria Kondhus and Yenity Kondha.	..	2,38,025
23	Kota . . .	..	1,432
24	Kotia-Bartika, Benthoria, Oriya, Dhulia Dula, or Holva Paiko, Putiya, Sansona and Sidho Paiko.	..	3,644
25	Koya or Goud, with its sub-sects—Kaja or Rasha Koyas, Lingadhari Koyas (ordinary) and Kottu Koyas.	..	1,22,328
26	Kudiya . . .	..	4,465
27	Kurumans	13,341
28	Manna Dhora
29	Maunc	1,944
30	Mukha Dhora-Nooka Dhora.

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31	Muria	1,611
32	Paigarapu
33	Palasi
34	Paniyan	41,388
35	Porjas-Bodo Bonda, Daruva, Didua, Jodia, Mundili, Pengu, Pydi and Saliya.	..	1,57,188
36	Reddi Dhoras . . .	..	..
37	Savaras-Kapu Sava- ras, Khutto Sava- ras and Maliya Sa- varas.	..	74,425
38	Sholaga . . .	..	3,776
39	Toda . . .	..	762
40	Inhabitants of the Laccadive Minicoy and Amindivi Is- lands who, and both of whose parents were born in these Islands.	..	..

* As Andhra and Madras were not separate States in 1951, this figure includes population for Andhra also.

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Sl. No.	Existing List (excluding localities)	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951	Communities recommended for Exclusion	Communities recommended for Inclusion	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8

Throughout the State (including those in the existing List) :

1	Andh (in Melghat taluk of Amravati district).	आंध	64		1 Dhunwan . . . धुवन	(Not available)
2	Baiga (in Baihar tehsil of Balaghat district).	बैगा	36,607		2 Dhonla . . . दोनला	Ditto
3	Bhaina (in Bhanupratappur, Bijapur, Dantewara, Jagdalpur, Kanker, Kondagaon, Korta and Narayanpur tehsils of Bastar district).	भैना	22,961		3 Jhoria . . . झोरिया	Ditto
					4 Khairwar . . . खैरवार	165
					5 Koiton . . . कोइतन	(Not available)
					6 Mahali	74,348
					7 Panika . . . पनका	..
4	Bharia-Bhumia (in Bhinhar-Bhumia (in Betul and Bhainsdehi tehsils of Betul district).	भारिया-भूमिया भूमिया	43,630		8 Sub-tribes of Bhil :— (to be added with Bhil).	
					Bhillala, Bhil-Kotil, Bhil-Tarwi, Naikar, Naikda-Bhil	18,995
5	Bhattra (in Karghora tehsil of Bilaspur district).	भतूरा	45,381		भील कोटील भील, तड़वी नायकड़ा-भील (for Bhilala only)	

6	Bhil (in Sironcha and Gharchiroli tehsils of Chanda district).	भील	३१,१६५	9	Sub-tribe of Bhuinhar: Pando (to be added with Bhuinhar);	पांडो	..	11
7	Bhuija (in A marwara, Chhindwara and Lakhnadon tehsils of Chhindwara district).	भुजिया	११,१७१	१०	Sub-Tribes of Gond (to be added with Gond) Arakh or Arrakh			
8	Binjhari [in Balod (Sanjari) tehsil of Drug district].	बिजवार	३३,१७८		Agaria	..	..	..
9	Birhol or Birhor [in Mandla, Niwas and Raigarh (Dindori) tehsils of Mandla District].	बिरहुल या बिरहोड	..		Asur	..	..	..
10	Bhanwar (in Harsud tehsil of Nimar district).	बनवार	१९,९१८		Bhatola	..	..	..
11	Gadaba or Gadba (in Dharanjaigarh, Ghargoda, Jaahpurnagar and Kharasia tehsils of Raigarh district).	गदबा या गदबा	४९३		Bhimma	..	..	..
12	Gond (Including Mandia "Maria" and Mudia "Muria"). (In Ambikapur, Bhatkuthpur, Janakpur,	गोंड (माडिया, मारिया मुडिया मुरिया के साथ)	१४,४३,६७२		Bhuta or Kcilabhuta or Kcilabhuti,	..	..	..
					Bhar
					Dhuru or Dnurwa
					Dhoba
					Dhulia
					Gatta
					Gaita
					Gaiki
					Ganda or Gandhi,
					Gowari

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	Mahendragarh, Pal, Samari and Sitapur tehsils of Suarguja districts.)						
13	Halba	हलबा	78,125		Kalanga
14	Kamar	कमार	231		Khatola	..	..
15	Kawar or Kanwar	कवर या कवर	434		Koitar	..	..
16	Kharia	खड़िया	8,247		Koya	कोया	..
17	Kondh or Khond Kandh.	कोंध या खोंड या कोंध	1,395		Khirwar or Khirwara	..	..
18	Kol	कोल	25,692		Moghya or Mogia or Monghya, Nagarchi	..	..
19	Kolam	कोलम	317		Ojha	..	..
20	Korku	कोरकु	1,73,002		Thatia or Thotya	..	..
21	Korwa	कोरवा	17,149		Raj	..	..
22	Majthwar	मझवार	18,216		Nagwaushi	..	..
23	Munda	मुंडा	..		Mannewar	मन्नेवार	..
24	Nagasia or Nagasia	नगेसिया या नगासिया	34,722		Dorla	डोरला	..
25	Nihal	निहाल	10,055		Mana	माना	..
26	Oraon	उरांव	80,705		Kandra	..	..
27	Pardhan	परधान	69,661		Bison horn Miria, Hill Miria	बायसन हार्न माडिया	..
					Badi Miria or Bada Miria, Chota Miria	..	..

28	Pardhi . . . पार्धी	7,548
29	Parja . . . परजा	21,834
30	Saonta or Saunta . सामोता या सोता	8,674
31	Sawar or Sawara . संवर या संवरा	22,403

Dandami	Maria	..
Kuchaki	Maria	..
Kucha	Maria	..
Wade	Maria or	..
Vade	Maria.	..

11 Sub-Tribes or Kaurwar: (To be added with Kanwar).

Kanwar	..
Kaur	..
Cherwa	..
Rathia	..
Tanwar	..
Chattri	..

12 Sub-Tribes of Korku: (to be added with Korku).

Bopchi	..
Mouasi	..
Nihal or Natul	..
Bondhi or Bondeya	..

13 Sub-Tribes of Korwa: Kodaku (to be added with Korwa).

14 Sub-Tribes of Pardhan: (To be added with Pardhan).	..
Pathari	..
Soroti	..



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15 Sub-Tribes of Oraon:
(To be added with
Oraon)

Dhanka
Dhangad
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16 Sub Tribes of Pardhi :
(To be added
with Pardhi).

Bahelia or Bahel-
lia.

Chita Pardhi.
चिता पारधी

Langoli Pardhi
लंगोली पारधी

Phans Pardhi
फांस पारधी

Shikari
शिकारी

Takankar
टाकनकर

Takia
टाकिया



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<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Any Kuki Tribe (Aimal, Chiru, Chothe, Gangte, Hmar, Kom Langang, Paite Purum, Sukte of Manipur Thadu, Vaiphei and Anal.)	कुकी					
	■ Any Lushai Tribe	लुसाई					
3	Any Naga Tribe	नागा					
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
	1 Aimal	1					
	2 Anal (Moyon, Mongrang).	2					
	3 Angami	3					
	4 Chiru	4					
	5 Chothe	5					
	6 Gangte	6					
	7 Hmar	7					
	8 Kabui	8					
	9 Kachia Naga	9					
	10 Kholrao	10					
	11 Koirang	11					
	12 Kom	12					

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
13	Kuki	.	.	.	.	.	.
14	Langang	.	.	.	.	.	.
15	Lushai	.	.	.	.	.	.
16	Maram	.	.	.	.	.	.
17	Maring	.	.	.	.	.	.
18	Mao	.	.	.	.	.	.
19	Naga	.	.	.	.	.	.
20	Paite (Simte)
21	Purum
22	Ralte
23	Sema
24	Sukte
25	Tangkhu
26	Thadou
27	Vaiphui

MYSORE

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Sl. No.	Existing Lists	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951	Communities Recommended for Exclusion	Communities Recommended for Inclusion	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population, 1951
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
I. Throughout the State Except in Bellary District :							
1	Hasalaru . . .	..	178	1	Gowdalu . . .	..	..
2	Iruliga . . .	..	3,189	2	Malakudi . . .	..	..
3	Jenu Kuruba . . .	..	..		
4	Kadu-Kuruba . . .	..	..		
5	Maleru . . .	..	2,743				
6	Soligaru . . .	..	2,951				
II. In Bellary District :							
1	Aracandan . . .	..	..		
2	Bacata . . .	..	..		
3	Bhottadas-Bodo Bhottada, Muria Bhottada and Sano Bhottada.				
4	Bhumias-Bhuri Bhumia and Bodo Bhumia.				

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5 Chenchu

6 Gadabas-Roda Gadaba, Cerilam Gadaba, Franji Gadaba, Jodia Gadaba, Oloro Gadaba, Pangl Gadaba and Pranga Gadaba.

7 Gond-Modya Gond and Rajo Gond.

8 Goudus-Bato, Bhirthya Dudhokouria, Hato, Jatako and Joria.

9 Kosalya Goudus-Bozothoriya Goudus, Chitti Goudus, Dangayath Goudus, Doddu Kamariya Dudu Kamaro, Ladiya Goudus and Pulsooriya Goudus.

10 Magatha Goudus, Bernia Goudu, Boodo Magatha, Dongayath Goudu, Ladya Goudu, Ponna Magatha and Sana Magatha.



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25 Koya or Gond, with
its sub-sects Raja or
Rasha Koyas, Lin-
gadhari Koyas (Or-
dinary) and Kottu
Koyas.

26 Kudiya . . .

27 Kurumans . . .

28 Manna Dhora . . .

29 Maune . . .

30 Mukha Dhora Nooka
Dhora.

31 Muria . . .

32 Paigarapu . . .

33 Palasi . . .

34 Paniyan . . .

35 Porjas Bodo Bonda,
Daruva, Didua, dia,
Mundili, Jopengu
Pydi and Saliya.

36 Reddi Dhoras . . .



37 Savaras-Kapu Savaras,
Khutto Savaras and Maliya Savaras.

38 Sholaga . . .

39 Toda . . .

40 Inhabitants of the Lac-
cadive Minicoy and
Amindivi Islands,
who, and both of
whose parents were
born in these Islands.



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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Bagata	बागता	..		1 Bhottada
2	Baiga	बाइगा	..		2 Bhattra
3	Banjara or Banjari	बंजारा या बंजारी	6,892		3 Bhumia	भूमिया	..
4	Bathudi	बाथुड़ी	85,468		4 Bhumij	भूमिज	..
5	Bhuiya or Bhuyan	भुइया या भूयां	1,29,833		5 Bhunjia	भुंजिया	..
6	Binjhal	बिंजल	77,935		6 Desua Bhumij	देसुवा भूमिज	..
7	Binjhia ■ Binjhoa	बिंझिया या बिंझोआ	..		7 Dharua
8	Birhor	बिरहोर	358		8 Didayi
9	Bhonde Poraja	बन्दो परजा	..		9 Gauda
10	Chenchu	चेन्चु	..		10 Gandia
11	Dal	दल	..		11 Holva
12	Gadaba	गादबा	..		12 Kol
13	Ghara	घारा	..		13 Kotia

14	Gond . . .	गण्ड	2,78,421	..	14	Kuli . . .	..	..
15	Gorait or Korait . . .	गोरैत या कोरैत	..	..	15	Lodha . . .	..	..
16	Ho . . .	हो	2,16,130	..	16	Madia . . .	..	..
17	Jatapu . . .	जटापु	..	..	17	Matya . . .	..	..
18	Juang . . .	जुआंग	17,616	..	18	Malhar . . .	..	..
19	Kawar . . .	कावार	..	..	19	Omanatya . . .	..	..
20	Kharia or Kharian . . .	खरिया या खरियां	71,144	..	20	Parenga . . .	..	..
21	Kharwar . . .	करवार	1,009	..	21	Pentia . . .	..	..
■	Khond (Kond), ■ Kandha, ■ Nanguli Kandha, or Sittha Kandha.	खण्ड या कंण्ड या नगुली कंध या शी कंध	3,70,172	..	22	Pradhan . . .	..	..
23	Kisan . . .	किसान	1,04,367	..	■	Rajuar . . .	..	..
24	Kolah Kol-Loharas . . .	कोल्ह कोल लोहार	..	..	24	Shabar, Lodha . . .	..	..
25	Kolha . . .	कोल्ह	..	..	25	Yeneti-Dora . . .	..	..
26	Koli . . .	कोली	5,864	..				
27	Kondadora . . .	कोन्ददोरा	..	..		
28	Kora . . .	कोरा	28,898	..				
29	Korua . . .	कोरुआ	636	..				
30	Koya . . .	कोया	..	..		
31	Kulis . . .	कुलीस	..	..		
32	Mahali . . .	माहाली	4,832	..				

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
33	Mankidi	. . . माकिडी	..				
34	Mankirdia	. . . माकिरडिआ	..				
35	Mirdha	. . . मिरधा	..				
36	Munda(Munda-Lohara and Munda-Mahali).	मुण्डा (मुण्डा लौहार और मुण्डा माहाली)	88,591				
37	Mundari	. . . मुण्डारी	..				
38	Oraon	. . . ओरॉय	97,701				
39	Paroja	. . . परजा	..				
40	Santal	. . . सांताल	3,51,968				
41	Saora, or Savar, or Saura, or Sahara.	सौरा वा संवर या सइर	2,85,985				
42	Tharua	. . . थारूआ	..				

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1	■	3	4	5	6	7	8
	Nil	..	Nil	Nil

PUNJAB

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1	■	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>In Spiti and Lahaul in Kangra District :</i>							
1	Tibetan	1 Gaddi	गढ़ी	20,585
					2 Jad, Kanaura*	जाड़, कनौर	(Not available)

*Instead of Tibetan who are really Jad Kanaura

RAJASTHAN

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Bhil . . . भील		3,16,348	1 Bhil		भील	4,04,235
				2 Bhil Mina		भील मीणा	9,33,709
				3 Damor, Damarla		डमोर, डमरिया	(Not available)
				4 Garasia (excluding Rajput Garasia).		गरासिया	17,230
				5 Mina (in Alwar, Bharatpur, Bundi and in Udaipur division excluding Jahajpur Tehsil).		मीणा	(Not available)
				6 Schria, Sahariya		सेहरिया, सहरिया	Ditto

Throughout the Scheduled Areas of the State :

SAURASHTRA

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Adodia . . .	आडोडिया	..	Adodia (recommended for inclusion in O. B. C.).	1 Charan (only in Nesses area in the forests of Alech, Gir and Barada).	चारण	..
2	Daffer . . .	डफेर	..	Daffer, Ditto	1 Padhar (only in Jhalawad Distt.).	पढार	..
3	Ghantia . . .	घंटीया	..	Ghantia, Ditto	3 Rebari or Bharwad (only in Nesses area in the forests of Alech, Gir and Barada).	रबारी या भरवाड	..
4	Miyana . . .	मीयाणा	7,658	Miyana, Ditto	4 Siddi, Ditto	सीद्दी	
5	Sindhi . . .	सिंधी	22,493	Sindhi, Ditto			
6	Wedva Waghri . . .	वेडवा वाघरी	24,860	Wedva waghri, Ditto			

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State:</i>							
1	Hill Pulay	हिल पुलयन	..	1	Kannikar
2	Kadar	काडर	287	2	Eravallan
3	Kanikaran	कणीकरन	7,160	3	Irulan
4	Kochu Velan	कोचुवेलन	..	4	Malakuravan
5	Malai Arayan	मलैअरेयन	3,883				
6	Malai Pandaram	मलै पण्डारम	201				
7	Malai Vedan	मलै वेडन्	..				
8	Malayan	मलयन	3,424				
9	Malayarayar	मलैअरियर	3,422				
10	Mannan	मन्नान	..				

Throughout the State:

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
11	Muthuvan	. . . मथुवान	1,399				
12	Palleyan	. . . पल्लेयन	520				
13	Paliyar	. . . पल्लियर	..				
14	Ulladan (Hill dwellers)	उल्लाडन	6,106				
15	Uruly	. . . उराली	..				
16	Vishavan.	. . . विषवन	178				

TRIPURA

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Lushai	3,068	Tripura (Retained in S. T. List in the modified form).	1 Balte
2	Mag	8,438		2 Bankhal
3	Kuki (Paitu, Belalhut Thangcuia, Laifang, Bankhal, Mizel, Namte, Chhalya, Fun, Kuntci, Lentel, Jangtei, Rangchan, Balte and Khareng.)	..	23,575		3 Belalhut
4	Chakma		14,630		4 Chhalya
5	Garoo		3,581		5 Fun
6	Chaimal				6 Hajango
7	Halam				7 Jangtei
8	Khasia				8 Khareng
9	Bhutia				9 Khephong

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
10	Munda including Kaur	..	3,439	10 Kuntei	.	..	..
11	Orang	..	..	11 Laifang	.	..	..
12	Lepcha	..	..	12 Lentel	.	..	..
13	Santal	..	1,228	13 Mizel	.	..	..
14	Bhil	..	..	14 Nante	.	..	..
15	Tripura	..	2,69,023	15 Paitu, Paite	.	..	..
16	Jamatia	..	..	16 Rangchan	.	..	..
17	Noatia	..	..	17 Rangkhole	.	..	..
18	Riang	..	..	18 Thangluva	.	..	..
				19 Tripura or Tripuri, Tippra (except those living in the city of Agartala).
				20 Uchai

UTTAR PRADESH

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1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Bhil (Bhopa)					भील (भोपा)	..
2	Bhoksa					भोक्सा	..
3	Bhuiya					भूईया	..
4	Bhutia (Khampa, Marcha, Tolcha, Jad)					भूटिया (खामपा, मार्छा, तोलछा, जाड)	..
5	Bora					बोरा	..
6	Cheru					चेरू	..
7	Gond (Dhuria, Naik, Gijha)					गोंड (धुरिया, नायक, ओझा)	..
8	Jamsari					जोन्सारी	..
9	Kharwar					खारवार	..
10	Kol					कोल	..
11	Korwa (Korku)					कोरवा (कोकु)	..
12	Raji (Banmanus)					राजी (बनमानुस)	..
13	Tharu					थारू	..

VINDHYA PRADESH

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Sl. No.	Existing List	Hindi Equivalent	Population 1951	Communities recommended for Exclusion	Communities recommended for Inclusion	Hindi Equivalent	Estimated Population 1951
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
<i>Throughout the State :</i>							
1	Agariya . . .	आगरिया	12,569		<i>Throughout the State:</i> 1 Bharia (may be put with 'Bhumiya').	भरिया	..
2	Baiga . . .	बेगा	55,488		2 Kandar (may be put with 'Khairwar').	कन्दर	..
3	Bedia . . .	बेदिया			14,515 Bedia (recommended for inclusion among Scheduled Castes.	कोल (दाहाइत)	..
4	Bhil . . .	भील	2,24,124		4 Paliha (may be put with 'Bhumiya').	पलिहा	..
5	Bhumiya . . .	भूमिया	8,942		May be put with 'Sausia'. 5 Pathari (may be put with 'Gond').	पथारी	..
6	Biar (Biyar) . . .	बियार	6,714		7 Saur . . .	सवर	..
7	Gond . . .	गोंड	1,770				
8	Kamar . . .	कमार	6,060				
9	Khairwar . . .	खैरवार	35,210				
10	Majhi . . .	माझी	15,864				
11	Mawasi . . .	मवासी	2,078				
12	Panika . . .	पनिका	1,714				
13	Pao . . .	पाव	3,257				
14	Sonr . . .	सोंड	29,977				

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
12	12 Mahali . . .	माहली	..
13	13 Malpahariya . . .	मालपाहड़िया	..
14	14 Nagesia . . .	नगिसिया	..
15	15 Rabha . . .	राभा	..
16	16 Sherpa (to be added with Bhutia).	..	..
17	17 Toto . . .	..	..